

ABOUT 70 PER CENT COMPLETED is the new Santa Maria Catholic Church being erected on the hill directly back of Orinda School. The church building, an auditorium and a rectory are expected to be ready for use around October 1. This picture shows the main portion of the project, which was started in early March.

— SUN Photo by Mattison

## Commute Bus Use Could Result in 900 Fewer Autos an Hour, Agent Says

W. M. Fowden, Greyhound agent in Lafayette, was in a mathematical mood when asked yesterday what he thought of the joint campaign by the Contra Costa County Commuters Association and The SUN to encourage increased use of commute buses and formation of car pools.

"It's an excellent idea," he observed.

"I've been doing some calculating, and my figures aren't in any way official—they're just speculative—but do you realize that if enough commuters used Greyhound buses, it would be possible for the buses to replace about 900 cars an hour on Mt. Diablo Boulevard, during the peak morning and evening periods?"

CLOYD KIMBALL, Pacific Greyhound Lines superintendent of transportation, wasn't in a mathematical mood when he was asked for comment on the campaign, which is aimed at alleviating the crowded condition on Mt. Diablo Boulevard.

However, at his office at Greyhound headquarters in San Francisco, Kimball made it clear that he was far from sour on the idea by remarking:

"Our commute service is a sweet one. Most of the people in Central Contra Costa County know what our commute service is."

While declining to speculate statistically, Kimball said:

"At this time of year many people are away on vacation. That creates more room in the commute buses."

FOWDEN WAS more specific, even though he stressed he was not citing actual statistics.

"All the commuters who take their own cars to and from work are periodically delaying themselves 15 or 20 minutes on each trip by using their cars," he said.

"Figure it this way: A 45-passenger commute bus can displace about 45 cars. If enough commuters used the buses and if the buses come three minutes apart during the peak period, there would be 20 buses an hour."

"THAT WOULD MEAN the displacement of about 900 cars an hour on the highway."

The commute buses are comfortable, Fowden pointed out. "The passengers relax, chat, read newspapers and sleep," he added.

Time-prolonging effect of the al-

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## Requests for Car Pools Keep Coming In

Swimming pools may seem more interesting than car pools these hot summer days, but there's no denying that the subject of car pools is one occupying the attention of many commuters.

In response to the joint campaign of the Contra Costa County Commuters Association and The SUN to encourage formation of car pools and increased use of Greyhound buses, so as to relieve congestion on Mt. Diablo Boulevard, many commuters have sent in coupons, asking for or offering rides.

BOTH ASKING AND OFFERING a ride is Lyle Glasgow, 24 Lavina Court, Orinda (phone: DRake 6-5554), who commutes to the University of California in Berkeley.

He leaves Ivy Drive and Moraga Highway, Orinda, at 7:30 p.m. and must arrive at UC at 8 a.m. On the homeward trip, he leaves the UC campus at 5 p.m.

PEGGY THOMPSON of Box 6, Lafayette, (phone ATlan-tic 3-2049 or Highgate 4-0507, Ext. 31), who wants a ride, says she was erroneously listed in last week's SUN as commuting to "12th and Fulton, Oakland"

She commutes to 12th and Oak, Oakland, and leaves Hough Avenue and Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Lafayette at 7:40 a.m. and must arrive at destination at 8:30 a.m. She starts back home at 5 p.m. from 12th and Oak, Oakland.

If you want a ride or can offer a ride, please fill out the accompanying coupon and send it to The SUN, so that the information can be published, enabling other commuters to get in touch with you.

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Ten Cents

# 'Orinda Can Afford Incorporation'-Norris

## County Tax Rate May be Raised 'Substantially'

A "substantial tax rate increase is unavoidable" for the coming fiscal year County Administrator Desmond Teeter told the County Board of Supervisors Tuesday.

Following Teeter's report, the board left their chambers and reconvened in his office for further budget study.

PREPARED to hear a full preliminary budget report, board members expressed surprise when they heard Teeter's terse statement the rate would be above the current \$2.40 per \$100.

He explained that figures worked up over the weekend show a need for a higher rate. The extent of increase will depend on priorities on request the board will have to make, he added.

I am therefore withholding any statement on the present status of the 1954-55 budget," he continued as he declined to comment further.

It was indicated that a small carryover fund and expected lower county revenue caused his statement on tax rate.

TEETER'S INTENTION to submit to the board today a brief summary of the proposed county budget for 1954-55, Teeter said.

Though at first pessimistic about revenue prospects, he told the board he later became optimistic and passed his hopes on to the board.

Earlier rumors had pegged the tax rate at about two cents under last year's.

## Altarinda Hearing Is Postponed

Action on the tentative map of the first unit of Altarinda Estates is not expected before August 11 at the earliest, according to Ray Drayer, county planning assistant.

A meeting had been scheduled for yesterday morning among county planners, the subdividers, representatives of the County Road Department and the State Division of Highways, but was postponed until next Thursday at 10 a.m. at the request of Ben Johnson of Orinda, one of the subdividers.

ACCORDING TO COUNTY Planning Assistant Anthony De Jesus, the conference will deal with the number and designation of streets in the proposed subdivision and the question of road width.

The matter will not appear on the Planning Commission agenda until after the conference has been held. One of the problems holding up approval of the map is that of proper access to Mt. Diablo Boulevard, especially when it becomes a freeway.

GEORGE W. WHITNEY, chairman of the Contra Costa Safety Council's subdivision review committee, has pointed out that present plans would permit the access road to the subdivision to "come into Charles Hill Road at the intersection with the Freeway," and that this intersection is already "a hazardous one."

The Diablo Highway Improvement Federation has asked withholding of approval until a road work plan for the entire 270 acres of Altarinda Estates has been worked out.

## Breed Declares Outlook Good For Lucky Store

The prospect of Lucky Stores Inc. establishing a market on the west side of Moraga Highway next to Sproule-Reitz Company "looks very good," said D. A. Breed yesterday.

Breed is vice president of Broadmoor Improvement Company which has been negotiating with Lucky for the site.

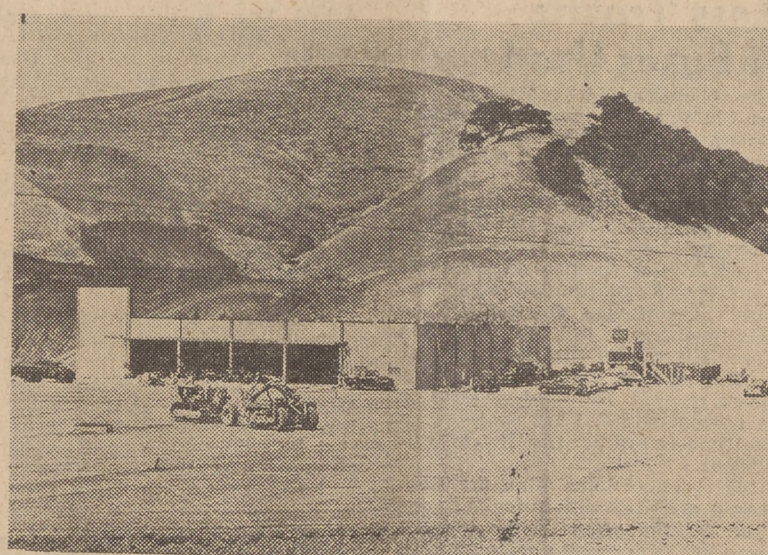
Establishment of the store depends to a large extent on the settlement of the parking lot problem.

The Orinda Chamber of Commerce is leasing a triangular shaped piece of property adjacent to the proposed Lucky property from the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, and plans to surface it for community parking.

Lucky has said that it wants the use of that parking lot for its customers too, and would provide the surfacing under these conditions.

The chamber has maintained that the Lucky parking lot should also be for community use and not for the sole use of Lucky customers.

Broadmoor owns the land where the new Lucky store is planned, and has been negotiating with a chamber committee consisting of Clarence Betz, George Dodge and John Ogden to settle the parking problem.



RAPIDLY TAKING SHAPE at Donald Rheem's Moraga Center is this \$150,000 air-conditioned supermarket, first major unit of the \$4 million project being developed on a 1700-acre site which is planned to include a shopping center and an eventual community of 1500 homes. The market, to be operated by the Clark Brothers, owners of Black's Market in Orinda, is scheduled to be completed about August 15 and is expected to be open for business within 30 days after that.

— SUN Photo by Mattison

## Glorietta Blvd. Residents Ask Action To Solve Problem of Speeding Drivers

Alarmed by autos speeding through their residential area, several residents of Glorietta Boulevard have written to Commissioner Bernard R. Caldwell of the California Highway Patrol, asking "appropriate action to solve this problem."

Dated last Friday, the letter, sent to Caldwell in Sacramento, is signed by:

Mrs. Arthur A. Ellwein, 324 Glorietta Boulevard; Mrs. Colin Campbell, 337 Glorietta Boulevard; Mrs. Philip Lathrop, 333 Glorietta Boulevard; Mrs. R. J. Richarz, 329 Glorietta Boulevard; Mrs. Andor Polgar, 325 Glorietta Boulevard; Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hanlon, 317 Glorietta Boulevard; Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Willett, 316 Glorietta Boulevard; and Dr. and Mrs. Frank Fenzl, 320 Glorietta Boulevard.

"WE ... HAVE A problem we wish to bring to your attention," the letter stated.

"We live on Glorietta Boulevard and for some time have been troubled with speeding motorists."

"As you probably know, this is a 25 mph (miles per hour) zone. Obvious violations have been observed by us, the estimated speed of the cars being as high as 50 mph."

"MANY OF US have children who at various times must cross the roadway."

"If the cars were within the 25 mph limit, the children could cross the road safely, but if the cars travel at an excessive speed, it is obvious that the area is dangerous."

"We also own automobiles, and it is unsafe for us to drive from our homes onto the street, with traffic going at a high rate of speed."

"WE REQUEST that you take appropriate action to solve this problem. We have talked with your local office and they suggested that we contact you on it."

Commissioner Caldwell was asked to reply to Mrs. Ellwein's address, which was given at the head of the letter.

MRS. ELLWEIN told THE SUN that she has one child, a 14-year-old boy, that Mrs. Campbell has three young children and that Mrs. Richarz has three young children.

She added that she had also discussed the situation with other neighbors who are concerned over the problem — Mrs. Walter Edwards, 1 Meadow Park Court, and Mrs. Thomas Mika, 10 Meadow Park Court, each the mother of three young children.

## Masons Seek New Building Site

Orinda Masonic Building Association's withdrawal of its land use application for a building site at Honey Hill and Charles Hill Roads was accepted Wednesday night by the County Planning Commission, which had received a new application for a Masonic building site near the Pine Grove, north of the upper grade school site and south of the Catholic Church property.

Associate County Planner George Brenner said yesterday that a hearing on the new application will probably be held August 17 by the County Board of Zoning Adjustment.

R. E. Wadsworth, secretary of the Orinda Masonic Building Association, said the new site is a little over an acre in size and will front 200 feet on the north side of the proposed Altarinda Drive, approximately 600 feet north of the upper grade school site and south of the Catholic Church property.

Wadsworth said his association has made application to East Bay Municipal Utility District, owner of the land, for the property and has made a deposit.

## Survey by Coro Studied by Board Of Association

Orinda's long-awaited incorporation study by the Coro Foundation was presented to the Orinda Association board Monday night at Orinda School by Frank Cayting, incorporation study committee chairman.

Cayting explained that he had received the 28-page report only 45 minutes before the board meeting and had not had time to study it.

Directors discussed some of the highlights of the report, which had been prepared by W. Kenneth Norris, head of Coro's consulting service department. The Coro Foundation is a research organization in San Francisco.

(See separate story on Coro report.)

AT CAYTING'S suggestion, it was agreed that the incorporation study committee would meet within two weeks to discuss the Coro survey and that the entire August 23 board meeting, "or as much of it as is possible," will be devoted to this subject.

All members of his committee and all association directors were to receive copies promptly, Cayting said.

"About 300 copies of the report are being prepared," he continued. "Twenty-five of these must go to Coro, as per our agreement with the foundation. I think five copies should be given to each neighborhood association. After that, I think we should charge \$1 for each copy."

CAYTING EMPHASIZED that neither Coro nor his committee is taking a pro or con attitude about incorporation.

"It's up to the community to make the decision," he declared. "We want to study and understand all the relevant facts and to disseminate them throughout the community."

The Coro report points out that the people of Orinda have three choices," Cayting said.

"THESE ARE: Do nothing against change; expansion of local service; establish local control by incorporation."

Cayting explained that in Coro's opinion the "do nothing" course was the worst of the three choices.

It was pointed out that even with increased citizen participation in government, Orinda would "exercise only limited or, at best, dispersed control of the situation."

"Expansion of local service" is envisioned by Coro as activity by special districts, with "general tax rate increase and the continued dispersal of policy control" probably resulting, he continued.

REGARDING INCORPORATION, the Coro survey comments:

"Shifting even a part of the administration of these services will also increase the tax rate."

"Far too often, it seems, the question of incorporation is too easily dismissed with: What is it going to cost?"

"The many advantages of local decision and control are frequently not considered nor appreciated."

"Equally disturbing is the view of those citizens who feel incorporation to be a 'cure-all' and who overlook the grave responsibilities and plain hard work involved in establishing a new local government."

The board approved a bill from Francis Violic, consultant to the Orinda Planning Committee, for \$101.17, for services rendered last February.

Montgomery said he anticipated that \$400 more would come in from neighborhood groups for incorporation and planning expenses. "I've already have commitments of \$150," he said.

COMMUNITY RESPONSE has been very good," he continued. "We've received well over \$1000 to date for both the incorporation and planning studies."

At suggestion of Director Frank Cayting, Mrs. Stuart Henderson, secretary, agreed to obtain a detailed breakdown of the financial statement from Mrs. Chantler.

A letter from Herbert Hauser, complaining that the Contra Costa portion of Fish Ranch Road looks like "a corduroy road or washboard," was referred to the road committee, headed by George Hauser.

The board also discussed the proposed Altarinda Drive, which had been accepted by the County Planning Commission.

ACCORDING TO MITCHELL, the study has been underway for approximately two months and trustees have reached no decision.

He indicated that study would continue for at least two more months, with trustees then making recommendations as to the disposal of the line. This could include piecemeal sale of trackage and facilities or sale of the line as a unit.

It is apparent that Western Pacific does not intend to use the line for further passenger service or commute service.

However, the possibility of the sale of the railroad intact, either to private individuals who might wish to take the line over for commute purposes, or to a rapid transit commission, is still there.

## Coro Report Says Average Tax Raise Would Be \$17.64

Orinda could incorporate as a sixth class city with an annual tax rate increase of \$17.64 for the average homeowner, according to a survey turned over to the Orinda Association Monday night by W. Kenneth Norris, director of consulting service department of the Coro Foundation.

Although no recommendations for or against incorporation were made, here are the findings of the Coro report:

"Orinda can afford to incorporate," the study found. A "modest beginning level" to provide local services could be based on a tax rate approximately 44 cents per \$100 assessed valuation.

THE WOULD PROVIDE for an annual income of \$61,158 and would not include the fire district taxes, which would bring the tax rate up to \$1.36 per \$100 assessed valuation.

The present fire district tax rate is 92 cents.

Total budget would be \$167,190, but other income sources beside taxes would provide \$106,032.

The study was based on incorporation of the area enclosed in the Orinda School District boundaries, which includes much land not yet developed.

"However, exclusion of the uninhabited portion of the survey area from the incorporation would increase the 44-cent tax rate by nearly 15 cents for a total net tax rate increase of 58 cents per \$100 for the service to be provided the 10,000 people living in the central built-up portion of the area."

THE BOUNDARIES of the survey included the western boundary of the school district, which also represents the county line, and "Orinda's nearest community neighbors ... the Alameda County cities of Oakland and Berkeley, Moraga to the southeast and Lafayette to the east."

The report indicated that he present population of central Orinda is 10,000 people, and that the per capita valuation is high.

"Orinda per capita valuation (assessed valuation divided by population) is well in excess of the \$700 figure considered by some authorities as the safe level for incorporation."

THE PER CAPITA valuation of the central district is estimated at \$1038, and of the total Orinda area at \$1387. These figures are based on an assessed valuation which includes residential-commercial property plus portions of taxable utilities serving the central district.

Central Orinda, which is the portion already developed, represents only 40 per cent of the total area. Residential property accounts for 34.7 per cent of the 22 square miles surveyed; commercial property 1 per cent and streets and roads 3.9 per cent.

"The non-central portions are mostly hilly to mountainous with considerable portions held by the East Bay Municipal Utility District, both adjacent to the Crossroads and in the northern, western and eastern perimeter."

The report points out that the future growth is promising and serves as a source the County Planning Financial Report for 1953-54, which indicates the increases in population and assessed valuation.

"PROBABLY LITTLE or no industrial development will be attracted or encouraged in essentially

## Special Business Zone Hearing On August 11

Public hearing is scheduled for August 11, 9 p.m., before the County Planning Commission in Martinez on the commission's proposal to create a Special Business zone for almost 25 acres on the west side of San Pablo Dam Road.

The legal notice, published elsewhere in this issue, refers to proposed rezoning from Residential-Agricultural to Retail Business, but Associate County Planner George Brenner stated yesterday that the commission, in its decision on June 23, had recommended a Special Business zone, and he added:

"That is the intention."

A Special Business zone requires that specific site locations for buildings be shown on a map.

Owner of the land is East Bay Municipal Utility District, which included some 12 acres of it in its Crossroads - Area Retail Business rezoning application last year.

Brenner explained that by enlarging the proposed area to 25 acres, the commission does away with the need to amend the Zoning Ordinance, which specifies that Special Business zones must be at least 20 acres. He added that only about 15 of the 25 acres would be usable.

"The commission will probably recommend that its technical staff prepare standards and designate possible locations of buildings," Brenner said. "That would be the point where we'd work with the Orinda people, as suggested recently by the Orinda Association."

residential Orinda, but some thought might be given to the expansion and further diversification of the present 58 commercial establishments in the two retail districts."

There are 16 separate agencies offering services within the survey area, 10 of which require local election of governing bodies. Of the remainder, the County Board of Supervisors exercises policy control of five districts.

However, services which Orinda does not have and will need in the future, are listed as follows:

"HOSPITAL SERVICE, covering three areas in the perimeter of Orinda, has not been applied to the central district."

"Sanitation service is now covering many unincorporated communities in the county but none have been established in Orinda."

"Sanitation service, while covering most of the built-up area, presents a considerable problem for the future. The recent defeat of Central Sanitary bonds leaves the district with inadequate disposal facilities and mains for future expansion."

"While the immediate effect on Orinda is perhaps not too critical, future growth may be seriously restricted. Not the least problem is an almost certain tax rate increase, charge and/or assessment revaluation to provide needed revenue for construction."

THE PRESENT POLICE service is considered "not deficient" in total personnel, but perhaps in the method of applying the service.

"Streets and roads will represent the most serious problem to Orinda with or without incorporation. The total survey area has an estimated road mileage of 87.81 miles, including 2.75 miles of state highway," the report states.

"From this total the state would continue the highway maintenance, the county has accepted 65.28 miles and the remaining 19.78 miles still remain as private responsibility."

"VICTOR SAUER (county road commissioner) believes that if incorporation is desired, considerable bonding and assessment programs will be required to correct present deficiencies ..."

## TRUCKCRISIS ON OUR HIGHWAYS

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'What They Say'

A weekly opinion survey.



## U.C. May Study Borough System, Barcelona Hints

Possibility that a State Legislature interim committee may get the University of California to conduct a study on feasibility of the borough system of government for Contra Costa County was hinted Monday night by Ted Barcelona, chairman of the governmental affairs committee of the Mt. Diablo Area Junior Chamber of Commerce.

"In 1950 the State of California had a study made by the University of California of the borough form of government for larger communities," Barcelona told Orinda Association directors at Orinda School.

"It's quite possible that an interim committee could get the University of California to make such a study for this area."

**BARCELON'S STATEMENT** was in response to Orinda Association President Zach Montgomery's question, "How do you propose to go about having the study made?"

Barcelona and Dick Emory, a past president of the Mt. Diablo Area Junior Chamber of Commerce, came to the meeting at the invitation of Montgomery and Chairman Frank Cayting of the Orinda Association's incorporation study committee.

Following a recess conference with Cayting by Barcelona's committee, at Cayting's home, Barcelona wrote Montgomery July 22, explaining the interest of the junior chamber in obtaining a study on the borough system and seeking the Orinda Association's consultation and cooperation.

**BARCELON INFORMED** the directors that similar letters had been sent to President Oliver D. Hamlin of the Lafayette Improvement Association and President Ford Tusing of the Happy Valley Improvement Association. Copies had not yet been received from them, he said.

The junior chamber representatives were invited to attend the next meeting of Cayting's committee, which will be held within two weeks for discussion of the Corro Foundation's incorporation study for Orinda, copies of which were presented by Cayting Monday night.

"We're not arguing pros and cons," Barcelona stressed. "We just want to get the facts."

**TO SOME OF OUR** committee, "the rather small system could be in a few years in order to drive from the Tunnel to Walnut Creek, we may have to go through five different cities — Orinda, Moraga, Happy Valley, Lafayette and Walnut Creek."

"Questions we are asking include: Do the various communities have overlapping problems? If these problems are commonly handled, would it be more economical? What type of administration would yield the most in state subventions? What type of administration would be most effective? Would the county level be the best?"

"The junior chamber is looking for the answers to these questions, and I imagine most of the people in the area want to know the answers, too."

**"ON THE SURFACE,"** he continued, "the borough system could have the answer. It's practically a blank check for a two-level system of government, in which each locality would keep its own autonomy on local matters but in which overall area problems would be handled by the over-all city government."

"The system could be tailored to fit the communities and the area and also the desires of the communities."

"This area is one of the fastest-growing areas in the United States. It presents a terrific opportunity to see that our area is properly provided for. We believe that the whole problem, on an inter-community basis, should be looked into further."

**BARCELON EXPLAINED** that each borough would have its own council, to deal with such problems as zoning, roads and recreation. The over-all city council would deal with common problems, such as police and fire protection and schools, he said.

When Barcelona and Emory presented their views, the Orinda Association directors lacked a quorum, since Mrs. Stuart Henderson, secretary, had left the meeting. Therefore, no official action could be taken, Montgomery explained.

However, all directors present agreed that the junior chamber representatives should be invited to the next meeting of Cayting's committee.

It was also pointed out by directors that the Corro report on possible Orinda incorporation must be seriously studied and that Orinda is faced with the problem of its own which will not allow long delays in arriving at community decision on whether Orinda should incorporate as a city.

**"THERE SEEM** to be certain urgent reasons for Orinda incorporation," Director George Hauken said.

"If the borough study means a delay of two or three years, I'd be all for Orinda's incorporating and also later swinging into the borough system."

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Arends of 2 Valley View Drive flew to Hawaii by United Air Lines last Saturday to spend a 5-day vacation at the Edgewater Hotel on Waikiki Beach.



**MORE TROPHIES TOMORROW?** Orinda Park Pool Coach Bob Edwards (in rear) and his Pacific Coast championship boys' 200-meter freestyle relay team in the 13 and 14-year-old age-group hope that tomorrow's events at the San Leandro Relays will result in more awards for the 36 Orinda boys and girls who will participate. Proudly admiring the gold cups they brought home from the recent Pacific Coast Championships at Livermore are the members of Orinda Park's latest championship relay team — left to right, Smed Ambler, Marc Littlejohn, Val Geissler and Dixon Farmer.

—SUN Photo by Mattson

## Orinda Park's Swimmers in Big Splash At San Leandro Relays Tomorrow

The Orinda Park swimmers will travel to San Leandro tomorrow to participate in the annual San Leandro Relays.

Thirty-six Orinda boys and girls will take part in the Relays.

Included in this group is Orinda Park's Pacific Coast championship boys' 14-and-under 200-meter freestyle relay team, consisting of Val Geissler, Marc Littlejohn, Smed Ambler and Dixon Farmer.

**IN ADDITION,** Orinda Park Pool is defending champion in several relays, having won the titles last year in the following events (last year's swimmers are listed):

Boys, 8 and under, 100-yard freestyle (Johnny Cooper, Ricky Kendall, Don Navone, Jack Witter, Time, 1:14 — 1953 PAA record).

Boys, 10 and under, 100-yard freestyle — (Bob Boyle, John Rinne, Pete Yedidia, Pete Stocker. Time, 1:04 — 1953 PAA record).

Boys, 10 and under, 75-yard medley — (Bob Boyle, John Rinne, Pete Yedidia, Pete Stocker. Time, 1:04 — 1953 PAA record).

## School Budget \$33,000 Less Than Last Year

Although general operating expenses have increased, so have portions and income and the total budget for the Orinda School District for 1954-55 is \$33,144 less than the present budget.

A public hearing on the proposed budget will be held Monday at 8 p. m. at Orinda School.

This year's total budget was \$564,732.70 as compared to a proposed budget of \$531,588.

State appropriations increased this year by approximately \$30,000 and district taxes are expected to bring in an additional \$400 above this year's revenue. However, increased assessed valuation is expected to take care of the increase with no added tax burden to the public.

Administration salaries have increased \$700 and teachers' salaries and expenses of instruction have increased \$49,000.

School plant operation has increased \$10,000, but maintenance has decreased approximately \$700. Transportation of pupils will cost \$600 more and food service will add an additional \$400.

However, a big drop is planned in capital outlay with this year's total at \$126,920 as compared to the budgeted \$52,635 for next year.

Detailed figures can be seen in the two-column legal notice in another part of this paper.

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## Children's Rec Program Enters Final Week

Next week is the last week of the Orinda Recreation Program, and the schedule will be packed with fun and frolic for the youngsters participating.

Under the direction of Frank Isola, the program will continue at Orinda and Glorietta Schools, Monday through Friday from 9:30 a. m. until 3 p. m.

Outdoor activities feature all kinds of sports and games, including baseball, tetherball and four square. An ample supply of crafts and indoor games are designed to appeal to the quieter youngsters.

In addition to the standard fare, special excursions are planned such as the recent field trip to Steinhart Aquarium in San Francisco and the bike hikes through Orinda.

Working with Isola are Don Wacks, director at Glorietta School and Ted Boyce, director at Orinda School.

## Fowden Says Less Traffic If Buses Used

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most bumper-to-bumper auto parade during peak commute periods was illustrated by Fowden as follows:

**"IF A NEW,** green bus driver, absolutely unfamiliar with the route, starts out from this area in the early morning, before the peak period, it takes him about 47 minutes to reach San Francisco. The same running time is true for him on an afternoon trip to this area from San Francisco before the peak period."

"The driver isn't breaking any speed records. He's just proceeding at normal speed. That shows what the time is for the trip if traffic is normal."

"But an hour later, when the highway is crowded with autos, the trip-time for the same driver and the same bus is anywhere from an hour and 10 minutes to an hour and 20 minutes."

**FOWDEN SAID** that if enough commuters stopped using their cars for trips to and from work, there would be room for more buses on the highway.

"Some of the buses would be able to express buses," he said. "In general, the entire picture of commuter travel would be faster and more convenient."

## Supper, Dance At Park Pool Tomorrow Night

At 8 o'clock tomorrow night, Orinda Park Pool will hold a record dance at the dance pavilion of the Park Pool.

A community supper will precede the dance. Members are requested to bring their own food; the pool will provide hot coffee.

**THE SWIMMING POOL** will be open, and lifeguards will be in attendance.

This will be a good opportunity to let the children cool off while the parents relax on the dance floor — or more the parents would rather cool off, too.

Connie Smith is in charge of arrangements, assisted by Peg Kirby.

**THE EVENTS** are open to all members and their families and any guests they bring.

Remember the time: Community supper, 6:30 to 8; dancing from 8 to who knows?

## Strawhatters To Continue Run

Good news for all Straw Hat Revue fans is the announcement that the run of "Small World, Small Wonder," the new revue now playing nightly except Mondays at 8:30 at the Lafayette Town Hall, has been extended through September 3.

This is definitely the final engagement of the Strawhatters' 1954 show. The Strawhatters will not play anywhere this fall because of the projected reorganization and expansion of the Straw Hat Theatre.

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## Site Assured for New Library but Spot Depends on Community Center Location

Representatives of the Orinda Library Committee were assured by the Orinda Association board Monday night that an area for a library site will be reserved on whatever land is ultimately used for the Orinda Community Center.

With Kenneth Courtright as main spokesman, members of the Library Committee appeared before the association directors at Orinda School with a request for a 125-foot square (15,625 square feet) parcel just south of the parking lot on present Community Center land and opposite Orinda Community Church.

Association President Zach Montgomery pointed out that the County Planning Commission has recommended that the Pine Grove be designated for quasi-public use.

**"THE SUGGESTION** has been made that the Orinda School District might perhaps be interested in acquiring the present Community Center land for a future school and that perhaps the association could obtain the Pine Grove as a Community Center site," he observed.

Asked how definite such suggestions had been, Montgomery replied that "it's just an idea that has been mentioned as a possibility for the future."

On motion of Director George Hauken, seconded by Director Frank Cayting, the board unanimously voted that "an area be held available for a library site not to exceed 125 feet square on Community Center property, with the title to be held by the association if possible."

The matter was referred to the association's civic center, park and recreation committee for study. Kirk Miles, chairman of that committee, is being transferred out of the city by his employer, Cayting stated. Bob Harrison is co-chairman. Montgomery suggested that the Orinda Library Committee confer with the civic center, park and recreation committee.

**AS A RESULT,** it has been unofficially announced that the Orinda Library will be open five days and five evenings each week, starting in the near future. She said the library is open Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons and Monday evenings.

Courtright said the Library Committee contemplates launching a financial drive in the fall for a new library building.

Mrs. Madison explained that the Contra Costa County Library will not buy land or build the building but that once the building is erected and the building and land are dedicated to the county, the county will maintain the library, staffing it and stocking it.

**DURING DISCUSSION** of possible acquisition of Pine Grove land by the Orinda Association, Montgomery remarked:

"If Orinda incorporates, we can get the land. If not, our civic center, park and recreation committee is studying the matter, to ascertain steps that could be taken."

The new Santa Maria Catholic Church being erected on the hill directly back of Orinda School is about 70 per cent completed and will probably be ready for use around October 1. Art T. Beckett of the general contracting firm of Beckett and Federighi of Oakland said yesterday.

With scaffolding providing a picturesque network, the project is an impressive sight to motorists driving by on San Pablo Dam Road.

Under construction are a church building, and auditorium and a rectory. Work was begun in early March and, according to Beckett, is proceeding according to schedule.

**THE SITE** for the new church consists of 14.75 acres. Cost of construction is about \$220,000.

According to Father David J. Harrington, pastor of Santa Maria Church, a convent and a school are planned to be added at some future time. These units, however, are not part of the present project.

Pending completion of the new church building, Santa Maria services are continuing at the present church on Miner Road across from the Orinda Country Club golf course.

**BOTH PARTNERS** in the contracting firm which is performing the construction job are Orinda residents and are members of Santa Maria Parish.

Beckett lives at 9 El Sueno, Fred J. Federighi lives at 27 La Noria.

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## Canyon Callings...

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**MUCH QUIETER**

Canyon temporarily lost a little of its charm and liveliness when several of our campfire girls joined the Oakland group Sunday morning, July 18, to leave for Camp Celio, several miles northeast of Nevada.

In the group were Barbara Ann and Sandra Wells, Donna Goss, Patty Crawford, Doty Shally and Judy Kies. The girls are expected back tomorrow.

With all our favorite baby sitters gone, one of the boy scouts took over when we spent an evening with the Batchelors Friday, Leslie and Yvonne Whitman came bringing Leslie's parents who are visiting from Texas.

The Whitmans, who were very popular in Canyon, are now living in Richmond Annex. Other guests were the Williams of Canyon and Margaret and Erling Horn of Montclair. High point of the evening was an oriental dance performed by Sigrid Batchelor. However, she is not the only gifted member of the family. Jonathan Batchelor is having an exhibit of his paintings at the Artist's Market in Lafayette.

**CELEBRATION**

Last Saturday Vi Compher and Pat Foster joined forces to celebrate a double birthday, that of Paul Foster and Bud Goranson, Vi Compher's brother. The party was held in the recreation room at Compher's, included dancing and refreshments, and a marvelous time was had by all.

**BE CAREFUL!**

Approximately 60 volunteers firemen assisted in combating a fire across from Scammell track starting in Lafayette and spreading to Moraga, July 22. Two hundred acres of grassland were burned before the fire was controlled early Friday morning, and several houses were threatened. There were two other fires resulting from faulty incinerators the very same day in this region so that the boys really had a busy time.

The new fire truck got its initial workout and proved very satisfactory. Incidentally, our Fire Station is getting a new paint job and minor remodeling. The Moraga-Canyon volunteers will be joining

the Contra Costa County volunteer firemen when the Crockett Sugar Refinery plays host to the volunteer firemen this month.

Virginia and George Menge celebrated complete ownership of their home in Canyon inviting a few friends in Saturday night. In addition to Virginia's parents, Grace and Joe Menge, there were present Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bryson of Alameda, Charlotte and Homer Price, and Lois and Charles Lucius. Instead of leaving the children with a baby sitter and spending the whole evening talking about them, these guests brought their children along. Chris Price, Neri Lucius and Donna Menge furnished the major part of the entertainment.

## Library Book Circulation Up

More Contra Costa County readers are reading more county library books than ever before in the library's history, as shown in statistical reports brought this month to county library headquarters from the 34 branches and stations in the county library system.

During the 11 months from July 1953 through May 1954, 806,836 adult and children's books and magazines were borrowed for home use, 9% more than during the same period in the fiscal year 1952-53.

A check of library card holders shows a corresponding 9% increase, with 60,042 registered borrowers in June 1954. A library card, free upon application may be used to borrow books from the other 33 branches and stations as well as in the library issuing the card. A child may have a library card as soon as he is able to write his name.

A branch and station directory, showing location and hours of every library in the system, is more than during the same period in the fiscal year 1952-53.

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## Fluoridation Discussed at Meeting Of Gregory Gardens Water District

Pros and cons of fluoridation were discussed before the Board of Directors of the Gregory Gardens County Water District Monday night in Gregory Gardens School.

Director Frank Salinger presided at the meeting and announced that no board action was planned for that night and would be taken at a later date.

**OPPOSITION TO** fluoridation was presented first by George Reed, Frank Farmer, Walter E. Farrell, Viola DeHuff, representing the Christian Science Church, and others.

Opponents asked that fluoridation not be used and that directors put it up to a vote of residents if they decide it might be a good idea so as to not deprive people of their "democratic right to vote."

Speakers questioned the value of fluoridation and its expense. Farmer said that less than 1 per cent of the population would be benefited, when the age group fluoridation affects is considered.

He also said several areas had turned down the idea or taken equipment out originally scheduled for use. He also asked if the district had enough trained personnel to constantly supervise fluoridation equipment.

**FARRELL, WHO** complained that the opponents should be second and not first, said the treatment of water might result in a brown mottling of teeth. He also suggested it might be illegal and the district liable for any damage that might be caused.

Mrs. DeHuff said her church would "strongly resist" any attempt

## H. Cherrington, Former Mayor, To Sell Market

Horace C. Cherrington, former Walnut Creek mayor and councilman and a prominent civic leader, this week announced that he is selling his Main Street business and will retire "at least temporarily."

"I'm going to take a rest. I have no other plans at the moment," Cherrington said.

**WILLIAM CONOVER**, a native of Walnut Creek who has worked for Cherrington at various times, will take over the El Rey Market, which Cherrington has owned and operated since 1937.

Conover, who was a captain in the Air Force during World War II and recently a pilot for Slick Airways Inc. in San Francisco, lives at 1822 Bonanza Street with his wife, the former Margaret Hawes, and their two daughters.

Cherrington will take over August 1.

**CHERRINGTON RESIGNED** as Mayor of Walnut Creek about 2 and one-half years ago upon the advice of his doctor. At that time he had been serving on the City Council for almost eight years.

He moved to Walnut Creek from Oakland in 1937 where he had been associated with Welch's Grape Juice Company and, formerly, Safeway Stores.

Cherrington is currently chairman of the Walnut Creek Police Commission. While serving on the council he headed the city planning, park and street commissions at various times.

## 'Formosa Facts' Is Topic of Mart

Lt. Colonel James P. Jennings will speak on "Formosa Facts" at the Contra Costa Realty Mart Breakfast Monday at 8 a.m. in El Nido Ranch, Lafayette.

Executive officer of the 2549th Personnel Proceeding Group at Parks Air Force Base, Jennings will illustrate his talk with colored slides.

A graduate of the U. S. Military Academy at West Point, he spent two years as executive officer to the chief of the Air Force Section with the Military Assistance Advisory Group on Formosa.

## Realty Board Hears Decorator

Bill Simpson and Jayne Chiles of the William S. Simpson Company were guest speakers at the Contra Costa Real Estate Mart breakfast Monday morning at El Nido.

Mrs. Chiles was color consultant for the largest realty developments in the St. Louis area for seven years before coming to California.

The William S. Simpson Company offers a color consultation service together with carpets and draperies in Lafayette.

## Supervisors Seek New Welfare Laws; Report Differs with 1954 Grand Jury

Contra Costa Supervisors have found that "California's public assistance programs are currently administered under a hodge-podge of laws," and are seeking changes in these laws, it was reported today.

These findings were made in a comprehensive survey by a committee headed by Supervisor Ivan Goyak of Richmond and including Supervisor Warren Buchanan of Pittsburg, County Administrator D. M. Teeter and Welfare Director William Golden.

**ALTHOUGH THE SURVEY** was made public some months ago, its results were pointed up in a statement issued this week which contrasts to recent criticisms of the County Social Welfare Department by the 1953-54 Grand Jury.

The statement describes the survey as "covering a field considerably beyond a survey in a recent grand jury report."

It explains that the survey "is coming to public attention now because we are seeking action by the California Supervisors' Association to have the state legislature pass a law to change over-liberal interpretation of the Aid to Needy Children Program and, a philosophy based on 'not how much a family needs, but how much are they entitled to under the existing code' in the county department."

The Grand Jury recommended early retraining of all social workers, immediate revision of record-keeping methods and assignment of a full time auditor.

The county committee report does not recommend any changes within the county department, but asks changes or revisions of laws governing various activities of the department.

**"COUNTY ADMINISTRATION** of the welfare programs is governed chiefly by state and federal laws and rules," said Buchanan, adding, "Changes must be effected in those higher levels."

The committee's recommendations are as follows:

- 1) Abolishment of several categories of assistance and creation of a single standard program of public assistance in their place.

- 2) Study of equitable sharing of financial responsibilities among the county, state and federal governments on a standard ratio.
- 3) Amendment of state law to include recovery provision and addition to the law of a provision to make all assistance a charge against an estate, but not to be executed during the life of any spouse.

- 4) **MAINTENANCE** of a maximum old age assistance figure of \$80; that a specific amount of income from employment be exempt from deduction—possibly the first \$20; and elimination of "special needs."
- 5) That applicants be required to submit complete documented justification of property transfers within five years.

- 6) Review by the legislature of the entire program of assistance standards in Aid to Needy Children and a) Computation of family grants at a flat per child or per person basis; b) establishment of a maximum for family grants; c) Relation of these standards in a realistic manner to the income of self-supporting families; and d) Revision of these standards when economic change indicates the need.

- 7) Revision of the law to give the county much broader discretion in identifying cases of mismanagement of grants in Aid to Needy Children.
- 8) A real property maximum of \$3000 and personal property ceiling of \$600 in all programs.

## Jaycees Bid for '55 Road-E-O Finals in Area

Mt. Diablo Area Junior Chamber of Commerce members decided Monday night to make a bid for next year's finals of the California State Teenage Auto Road-E-O to be held in this area.

This effort was advocated in a report by Ed Bjornstad of Pleasant Hill, chairman of the local area group's Road-E-O committee, at the junior chamber meeting at Rancho Grande, Lafayette.

A delegation from the Mt. Diablo Area Junior Chamber of Commerce will attend the next board meeting of the California State Junior Chamber of Commerce in Sacramento August 21-22, to urge the scheduling of the 1955 state finals in this area.

**THIS YEAR'S** local program was held at Acalanes High School recently, with the state finals conducted in Southern California. The Teenage Auto Road-E-O is a national program sponsored by the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce and aimed at promoting careful and responsible driving by young people.

**TED BARCELON**, chairman of the governmental affairs committee, reported on his and Dick Emory's appearance earlier that evening before the Orinda Association board, on behalf of the effort to have a study made on feasibility of the borough system of government for this area.

(See separate story.)

**GUEST SPEAKERS** were Harvey Morton, treasurer, and John Hall, immediate past president of the Berkeley Junior Chamber of Commerce, who reported on the recent United States Junior Chamber of Commerce convention at Colorado Springs.

Their talks were illustrated with slides.

## Color Pictures Judged by Club

Color pictures were judged Tuesday at a meeting of Contra Costa Camera Club at Las Lomas High School.

Results of a black and white competition, judged by Vice President Lyle Kinnear of the Northern California Council of Camera Clubs, were announced.

Results were: Amateur group, first and fourth, Boardman Moore of Lafayette; and second, third and fifth, Don Hanson of San Francisco.

Advanced group, first and fifth, Greg Hinz of Walnut Creek; second and third, Nils Walberg of Walnut Creek; fourth, Roger Black of Walnut Creek.

Salon group, first, second and fifth, Ben Randall of Orinda; and third and fourth, Jim Hokanson of Concord.

Greg Hinz of Walnut Creek recently took a first place in advanced inter-club competition.

## Rec Program for Palsied Children

Twelve cerebral palsy afflicted youngsters recently began what was for most of them, their first formal group activity — the summer recreation program at Shadelands School.

The program, under the direction of Mrs. Agnes Elfving, introduces these younger cerebral palsied children to such varied activities as craft work for the older group, painting at the easel, working with clay and participating with rhythmic instruments.

Because the youngsters' therapy treatments are continued through the summer rather than being discontinued with school vacation, the parents' group, the Contra Costa Cerebral Palsy Society, decided to provide additional activities for the children.

The summer recreation program, besides giving the very young CP kids a chance to participate in group activities, takes them out of the house for a few hours, giving mother a breathing spell each day. The mothers are all contributing several hours of their time each week, taking charge of the neophytes during their morning sessions, helping with the nutritional program, adjusting braces, tables, chairs and other equipment and generally assisting the matron, Mrs. Emmeline Kihne, and director, Agnes Elfving.

"The mothers are delighted to pitch in and help," said Mrs. Elfving. "Once they see how quickly the children take to the new routine, the mothers can go home to a few extra hours to themselves while the youngsters are engaged in their recreation program. As for the kids themselves—they love being around other children. This program is just what they need."

Mrs. Gene Newman is in overall charge of the program assisted by Mrs. Robert E. Duden, Mrs. Mildred Cherar is the speech therapist; Mrs. Marietta Pahner, regular occupational therapist during the school session, is continuing her work with her charges during this new program. Mrs. Elmer Ringborn is in charge of arts and crafts.

Money for this program was raised by citizens of Contra Costa County who donated to the Pittsburg, Antioch and East Bay United Crusades.

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## PH Scout Guest At Camp Wolfboro

Charles H. Wade, Explorer of Post 317, Pleasant Hill, is attending Camp Wolfboro in the Sierra, as honorary staff member and guest of Mt. Diablo Council in recognition of the fact that he sold more tickets to the Council Circus last May than any other Explorer in the Council.

Charles is one of about 200 Scouts and Explorers from 29 troops who are attending the popular camp during the fourth and last period for this summer, according to Ford Carr, camp director.

Some 300 happy campers just returned from the third period of 11 days. The fourth period will end the camp season at Wolfboro for 1954, and will close on August 7.

More than a third of this period's campers are from two troops in the Walnut Creek area: Troop 222, sponsored by the Kiwanis Club with 31 Scouts and five leaders attending; and Troop 231 of the Methodist Church, with 34 boys and one leader. Other troops from the Meridian District, bringing the total to 82 are No. 202, Walnut Creek; 205 and Post 317, Pleasant Hill, and Troop 216, Alamo.

## '7 Year Itch' Opens in S.F.

The comedy about a fancy-free husband who goes off the beaten path while his wife is in the country, "The Seven Year Itch," is now at the Geary Theater in San Francisco. This is the company starring Eddie Bracken and which played all winter in Chicago. The show opened in New York in November, 1952.

Young George Axelrod, still in his early thirties, wrote the play while trying to think up hill-billy jokes in his Gramercy Park walk-up. He had been struggling with radio and television scripts and he had suffered failure with something called "Curtain Going Up" which had run down for all time at the Philadelphia tryout.

Then the idea struck him to go on a "bender." The bender turned out to be "Itch." And, of course, a most pleasant hangover. The show has made a half million bucks.

Courtney Burr, in town for the local premiere, and Elliott Nugent are the producers. John Gerstad, Mr. Nugent's son-in-law and quite expert at ordering actors around, directed the show. Dana Suesens composed the incidental music, with Mr. Nugent keeping a watchful eye on the entire proceedings.

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## Area Youngsters In Model Finals

Among the finalists and winners in a nationwide "See Your Child Model a Life Ad" contest, sponsored by Dennisons of Glens Falls, makers of children's lingerie, are Pamela Joy O'Neil, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. O'Neil of Concord; Marilee Wade, 6½, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wade of Walnut Creek, it was announced yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis S. Rapport, owners of the Klad-Ezee Children's Shop in Walnut Creek local headquarters for the Dennisons contest.

If successful in the finals, these girls and their mothers will be flown to New York, where they will stay for one week at the Waldorf-Astoria, and they will receive \$500 in U. S. Savings Bonds. Also, their pictures will be featured in a full-page advertisement in Life magazine.

Applications for the next contest, which closes October 31, are available at the Klad-Ezee Children's Shop, 1338 Main Street, Walnut Creek.

## Crusade Sets Goal at \$3,856,236

Chairman Selmer H. Berg today announced \$3,856,236 will be the objective of the October United Crusade and described the figure as a realistic and necessary budget to meet the pressing health and welfare needs of the people of our community.

Of this total, Contra Costa County agencies will receive \$148,979. His announcement followed meetings of the Crusade executive committee and board of directors, both of which approved the recommendation of the organization's Admissions and Allocations Committee to present the community a campaign objective based upon actual need.

**CRUSADE OFFICIALS** said the 1954 figure, \$1,119,236 more than was raised in the East Bay last year, has been the subject of months of study and discussion among members of the Admissions and Allocations Committee, Crusade campaign leaders and agency representatives.

They said the issue involved in the discussions has been whether to adopt a budget based upon actual and pressing community need, or to go out for a lesser compromise figure. The former view was accepted. Dr. Milton Chernin, dean of the School of Social Welfare, University

of California, and chairman of the Admissions and Allocations Committee, said the campaign objective represents the "bare-bone, minimum needs of our agencies."

**"THE ORIGINAL REQUESTS** of our agencies which totaled \$4,181,664 could very well have been justified," he said. "However, we have pared them to the minimum. I feel that I can go anywhere in the community and defend these figures as representing the basic needs of our agencies if they are to give even minimum service to the people of this community."

The United Crusade will raise funds for 108 agencies serving 55 communities in Alameda and Contra Costa counties.

## Obedience Dog Training Class

A novice obedience dog training class will be held at the Walnut Creek Recreation Center, starting Wednesday at 7 p.m., under the sponsorship of the Recreation Commission and the Mt. Diablo Dog Training Club.

A second class for dogs which have completed the novice course will be held at 8 p.m. Both classes will last for eight weeks.

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## A Neighborhood Community Pool? Here's How One Group Did It

### Lafayette Board Outlines Policy On Homework

While establishing a homework policy for children, Lafayette School District trustees stressed that homework should never be given either as a punishment or as an award.

The following policy is in effect for the 1954-55 school year, but trustees agreed that further consideration may be given for possible revision.

Trustees felt that homework can be very valuable to children under the following conditions:

**HOMEWORK WHICH** challenges youngsters to explore new fields and to work more intensively in areas studied in the classroom. Homework which is specifically designed to develop independence, self-reliance, and responsibility in completing a project.

Homework which is designed to develop study habits and skills both in classroom instruction and through guided homework experiences.

Homework must be meaningful, purposeful and satisfying in order to have value.

Homework has value only if it develops skills for carrying it out have been taught in the classroom.

Homework must be adjusted to individual abilities.

**IT WAS FELT,** however, that homework loses some of its value under the following conditions:

Homework should not be given merely to keep the student busy nor to monopolize all of his time. There are many kinds of home centered activities which can be useful.

Home environment may not always be conducive to good study habits.

Oftentimes, when youngsters find an activity too difficult, parents do it for them.

Homework should never be either given as a punishment or as an award.

Homework for the 7th and 8th grade students, although of limited value, may help to acquaint these students with the type of study demands made upon them in high school and college.

Homework that is worth doing, is worth taking the teacher's time for correction and when, in her judgment is necessary, should be corrected.

It should be pointed out that long term projects will require guidance at frequent intervals by the classroom teacher and that homework skills are not automatically learned but must be taught in the classrooms.

**IT WAS EXPLAINED** that the general types of work considered homework are make-up due to absence, extra practice, agreed-upon extra help, project and research activities and special challenge work.

The extra practice is work given to the entire class in some specific skill which has already been taught and is given for review or practice.

Agreed-upon extra help should be given through a conference between parent, teacher, pupil and principal and is designed to aid the student in overcoming specific difficulties.

Project and research activities are designed to aid the student in developing responsibility in carrying out to completion an independent activity. These projects stimulate the child to think for himself, to plan and report upon a study in a well-organized fashion.

**THIS TYPE OF WORK** could include book reviews or a review of newspaper activities on a current topic.

Special challenge work is a voluntary kind of homework which a teacher would encourage youngsters to take according to their interests. This kind of activity should be planned not on the basis of im-

It's swimming time in Sunshine Valley, and many groups of Lafayette residents have worked out co-operative arrangements for the use of swimming facilities.

One of the most unique of these is the "community" pool owned by 11 families who live in Sibert Court, Lafayette. Their pool, of which each family owns one share in the corporation, is the subject of a feature article in this month's Sunset Magazine.

The pool, known as Crest View Pool, originated with Sewall Smith, architect who designed the home on Sibert Court. At the same time he designed the pool, filter house, shelter, bathhouse and planned the landscaping.

**THE 10 FAMILIES** which formed the original corporation in 1948 financed the pool this way. Nine of the homeowners invested \$800 each and the tenth contributed a piece of his property as his investment. Thus the corporation started with \$5400 which was sufficient to pay for the pool and most of the material for fencing, filter house and bathhouse.

Later \$1500 was borrowed by the corporation to pay for additional paving around the pool, a lath shelter and a redwood bench along one side of the pool. Each owner was assessed \$5 a month, above regular dues, to repay the loan, and small additional costs were paid for by assessments against each member.

**MONTHLY DUES** of \$8 per family pay for maintenance and build up a backlog of funds. Maintenance includes taxes, insurance, utilities and servicing of the pool.

It was truly a community effort when the pool was built as men with special talents offered their services. An electrician who owns one of the homes did the wiring and a sheet-metal man built the outdoor galvanized steel shower and did the plumbing.

The men and women alike pitched in to do the landscaping.

**AS FAR AS** practical use of the pool is concerned, the group drew up strict rules at the outset with the thought that it would be easier to relax them later if necessary. At first, families took turns at inviting guests on weekends. Two families at a time could bring guests on Saturdays and two on Sundays.

However, rules have been relaxed since then without overcrowding.

There are 24 children in the group, ranging from just-walking to teen-agers, and mothers take turn watching groups of children at the pool. Several teen-agers who hold Red Cross life saving certificates watch the younger children at times.

Each family has a key to the pool entrance gate and membership is limited to 12 families.

proving one's grade, but to develop the student's interest in a contribution to the group.

Time schedules were set up as follows:

Under no circumstance should all homework involved be longer than one hour for any given day. A reasonable time limit for the various grade levels was set at: grades 1, 2 and 3, 20 minutes; grades 4, 5 and 6, 30 minutes; grades 7 and 8, 45 minutes.

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## Expect Decision On Pleasant Hill Road in Spring

Whether Pleasant Hill Road will be made four lane between Geary Road and Gregory Lane or whether an alternate route will be added will possibly be decided next spring, according to County Road Commissioner Victor Sauer.

**AERIAL MAPPING** of the area, the fastest and least expensive method, is now being done and may be completed by October, Sauer said.

The decision will be made after cost estimates of both methods of completing the Road Bond Issue project through Pleasant Hill are considered, he said.

If an alternate essentially parallel road is decided on it will involve not only the cost of its own construction but also the cost of extending major east-west streets to meet it, he pointed out.

**SAUER ALSO SAID** considerations of benefit and safety will be included in the final decision. He added that since summer is a good season for construction, little design work is being done at this time.

Four laning of Pleasant Hill Road is opposed by several residents of the area and Mt. Diablo Unified School District which operates Pleasant Hill Elementary School near the road.

## Dwight Watkins Dies at Home

Private funeral services were held this week for Dwight E. Watkins, associate professor of speech emeritus at the University of California, who died July 22 at his home.

He lived at 146 Canyon Drive and is survived by his wife, Vera, a son, Robert E. Watkins and two daughters, Mrs. Edmund A. Fenander and Mrs. Francis J. Gahen. He was 76 years old.

A faculty member since 1918, Watkins, who authored several books on speech and drama, retired from active teaching in 1947.

## Postal Clerk to Take Training

Edmund J. Doyle, clerk in the Orinda Post Office, has been chosen to represent his area in the U. S. Post Office Department's national motor vehicle accident prevention instructor's program, according to Postmaster Laura G. Mallary.

Doyle was selected to go to San Francisco for a 5-day instruction course in motor vehicle safety next week.

Doyle, who was selected on the basis of ability, leadership and personality traits, will receive driving instructor's training, consisting of a comprehensive course in the techniques of safe postal motor vehicle operation.

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## Sweet Drive Bee-Hive

By JEAN SCOTT AT 3-6220 BETTER LATE, ETC.

Fine reporter your reporter is! Called Ellie Corbett to see why she was wearing her arm in a sling and discovered she is no longer Ellie Corbett but is, instead, Mrs. Stanley Soder and has been since June 13. (See elsewhere in this paper for details.)

The couple spent their honeymoon at the famous Thunderbird in Las Vegas, discovering upon arrival that accommodations had been arranged and paid for as a wedding gift from the bride's father, Hugh Harrison of Oakland.

After their Las Vegas stay the newlyweds spent several days at Tahoe.

Oh, about that arm in the sling — It had nothing to do with the wedding. Ellie was washing a pitcher the other day, and it came apart in her hands, requiring numerous stitches — in Ellie, that is. I believe the pitcher was beyond repair.

Well, we may not be up on recent happenings, but where else can you get so much history as you can in this column? Our motto: "All the news that's too old to print."

**A CASE IN POINT:** Take the DiGrazia baby, for instance. This item is too late to make the Stork Club, but we might get it into Happy Birthday in time for him to celebrate his first year.

The young man arrived at Kaiser Foundation Hospital May 9 and was the first baby to make his appearance that Mothers' Day morn. But nobody told me, not even Frances Bergren, who is Marian DiGrazia's sister, they being nee Atwood.

I suppose this baby business is old hat to the clan Atwood since there have been four additions to

their ranks this year so far.

Anyhow, vital statistics, just in case there's anyone around besides me who hasn't already heard, are that the little DiGrazia weighed 9 lbs., 1 oz. at birth, has a two-and-a-half-year-old brother, Robert. New baby is William Thompson. His mother has promised to let me know the next time she has some exciting news.

**TALLY-HO:** Now let's get a little more current. Like, for instance, advising you that the Dr. Don Lastons have had 15 house guests so far this month! That's a lot of house guests.

At least four of them were exceptionally interesting folks, and they're the ones we'll talk about.

It seems that Don went east in May to take a post-graduate course instead of a vacation and met four Fullbright scholars from the British Isles, with whom he became very friendly. Two were dentists, one was a doctor and one a biochemist.

At parting, he suggested they look him up if they ever got to California. So Tuesday of last week they looked him up!

The foursome, three girls and a guy, bought a second hand car and have been touring the country having the time of their lives. As guests of the Lastons they saw the Bay Area in Don's father's plane, toured Chinatown in S.F., saw the U.C. campus, went through the U.C. Medical Center in S.F. Last Friday they left reluctantly, heading for Yosemite and thence eastward.

They'll sell their car and sail for home.

Their names? Dr. Grace Brown of Dundee, Scotland; Dr. George Kennedy, of County Cork, Eire; Dr. Flora Dale of Edinburgh, Scotland and Miss Ann Davenport of London.

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## Moraga Almost Became City Over Quarter-Century Ago

By JON TIBBETTS

More than 25 years ago the Moraga area was earmarked to become a boom town.

When the Board of Trustees of St. Mary's College decided to move the college from crowded downtown Oakland to its beautiful location in the rolling hills near Moraga, plans were made to develop a thriving college town.

**BLUEPRINTS WERE** drawn, construction contracts were awarded and landscaping started. This was in 1926.

Money and promises flowed free and easy. No dream was too fantastic, no scheme too wild. Real estate men dreamed of an easy way from Oakland to Moraga through Canyon, even a tunnel through the hills like the railroad's.

is eagerly anticipating a deer hunting trip which will take place practically right now and will probably be one of the strangest events in hunting history.

George plans to be the only man on record to bag a deer without a gun. As he tells it, he will sit under a tree not far from camp; and while the other men in the party are out literally shooting their heads off, George will simply arrange his feet to give the deer a good look at those new boots of his — the ones with the bright yellow laces. Whereupon the about-to-be-venison-steaks will laugh themselves to death.

Tentative plans were laid.

Then one fateful day the dreams crumbled and the schemes faded.

The great stock market crash came and the great depression of the 1930's was upon the country.

St. Mary's College was established and thrived, but all that ever remained of the "boom town" that was never built are several huge flower pots at intersections at the center of "the city."

For years these pots and the once vivid dreams of the realtors were forgotten, for we had barely come out of the depression, only to be faced with a bigger problem — war.

**NOW THAT, TOO,** is history, and dreams have begun to flourish again for Moraga with the purchase of the Moraga Company by the Utah Construction Company.

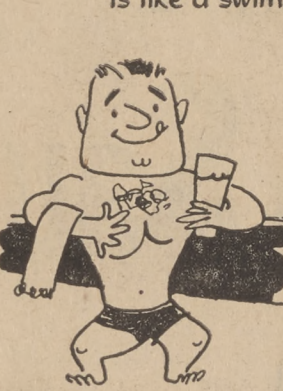
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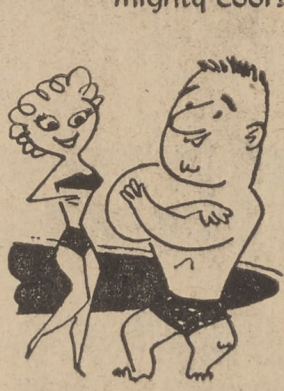
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# About our happy Country Folks

By BETTY IRWIN  
Guest Columnist

WHEN YOUR CHILD GOES OFF to camp for the very first time, that first letter home is eagerly awaited. The camp has many activities—horseback riding, swimming, dramatic classes, and craft instruction, so you're sure to hear lots of exciting news. Shirley and Del Fager received the following (undoubtedly normal) communique on a 5 cent picture postcard from their young daughter.

Dear mommy,  
Send me some socks.  
Your friend,  
Sherry

With Sherry at Camp Ramona in Alhambra are other girls from Orinda — Patty Wyatt, Clair Friedman, Linda Murphy, and Jeanne Quinn. Do hope the other parents fare better!

Captain and Betty Pickett are thoroughly enjoying their stay in Bangkok, Siam. Betty writes that for a recent party they gave "the orchids in our garden were in bloom and were just dripping from the trees and the fountains looked lovely, and all the paper lanterns made the grounds look like a glamorous fairyland." Geoff and Shaylor are in school now — seasons being reversed. The family has booked passage home for May 20 of next year and are looking forward to being back in Orinda again.

## Housewife -- Hawaii -- Hula

The Boone Robinsons, Harry Millers, Hoteling, Murray Studfey, Clifford Campbells, Don McMackens, and Harold Caldwell were all on hand at the sailing of the Lurline to wish bon voyage to Jean Bartley. Jean stayed with her sister and brother-in-law in Oahu. Sight seeing included a stay at the "Volcano House" on the rim of the crater of the volcano Kilauea, which erupted last May.

Par's of it were still hot. After being away three weeks, Jean was happy to get back to her three children and husband, Jack. She is now showing all the lively ladies in her neighborhood how to hula.

## Comings and goings

Les and Jackie Good are being transferred from Chicago back to Orinda. They both are "really happy to be getting back to Orinda after three miserable years back East!"

The Smiths have sold their home on Tarry Lane and are being transferred to Sacramento.

Fran and Mary Wyatt are leaving for Southern California. Fran has been president of the Sleepy Hollow Association, and we are all sorry to see them leave.

Dinney and Fred Kelsey have bought a home in Chicago. Fred is back there now, and Dinney will join him after a brief vacation at a Dude Ranch in Wyoming with friends.

Mrs. Walter Krenz is moving to San Francisco. She has just sold her lovely home to the Scaggs and their four children. The Joe Long children will be happy to have their cousins so close.

## Tahoe Treks

Millie and Don Tibbetts are so busy vacationing that they are practically worn out. They spent a rather hectic four days at a house party in Carmel with the Bill Becketts, Jack Campbells, and Jim Irwins; so they stayed on another week by themselves to rest.

Then they came home, picked up the children and went to Woodside where Don's mother has a home and pool. Ah, Mother's away; the sun is hot; the pool is perfect; we'll just relax. BUT the hot water heater had exploded, the rugs were flooded, the furniture was floating, plumbers were soon running around, etc. By the time the floors had been refinished and the rugs laid, vacation time was over. Then it was a rush back to Orinda to get Don ready for a weeks business trip to New York.

Millie got their dog and two cats boarded out; packed up her two boys, Brian and Peter, and went to Tahoe with Georganne Beckett and her young son, Bill III. So far, all's well.

The William Platts are having a restful time at Tahoe just eating, sleeping, and playing golf.

When John Bryan had a head-on collision in Sacramento (he's fine now), the three children came to stay with Aunt Winnie Gilmore who took them with her own four children up to the Gilmore Cabin at Tahoe. However, Winnie had things on a "camp schedule," and the children did the cooking, cleaning, etc. What's more, they loved it! So I just can't run things like a camp at home — worse luck.

While Pat Walker was spending a peaceful vacation at Tahoe, she had some very impolite visitors — a papa, a mama, and a baby bear. They tipped over the garbage can, made a mess of the back yard, and then took off through the woods when Pat and the three children turned on all the lights. No "Goldilocks" in this story.

## And by golly, another explosion!

Marvin and Bev Bonds were at the "Lair of the Bear" in Pinecrest when there was an explosion in the kitchen unit. The commissary and the kitchen and a few tents burned up before the fire was brought under control. Everyone pitched in to help put out the flames, but the food and all supplies were burned. The camp was filled, so all the hungry people went over to Twinings Lodge and stayed until the "Lair" got back to normal.

Just home from the American River are Dr. and Dot Lundblad, Kurt and Mark. Art and the boys actually caught enough fish for several big feasts. Dot's enthusiasm for fish ran out before her fishermen did.

Boone and Helene Robinson are home from a month's tour of the East. Rod and Joan especially enjoyed Cosco Island — certainly a change of pace from "backyard living" in Orinda.

Ernie and Mary Ann Kahl are camping up at Silver Lake — really roughing it with Karen, Bunky, and little Stevie. Rick Borden and Kathy Slattery visited with them for a few days.

One of the most seasoned travelers from Orinda for a dog is a dog named Shack. (Doggone, Gertrude Stein anyway. A dog is not a rose.) Shack went back to New Jersey with Joe, Peggy, Hodie, Johnathan, and Ricky Creighton, swam in the warm water of the Atlantic, spent a week in Michigan at Lake Platte, but did NOT go to Washington, D.C. when Joe did. Joe, State Prexy for the California Young Republicans, visited with other Y.R. leaders and talked to Senators Knowland and Kuchel. Busy, busy people; tax bill and farm bill, etc.

## Notes

Johnny and Nadine Harrison had two wonderful weeks at Los Laureles Lodge in Carmel Valley. The Nels Hamburgs have returned from Santa Barbara. Captain Tyrell is home for two months; he is usually on a ship so home is "vacation" for him. The Bob Williams are going to New Orleans. Nancy Madiera is spending her vacation in bed with the measles! Peggy Beckett has been in the hospital with a bad back. Jeanette Fayrum, David, Margaret, and Ricky are home from visiting Grandma in Carmel. The Harold Caldwell and Billy and Carolyn are visiting Lake Louise. The Robert Boyles were away for a few days in the Wayne Bentleys and daughter, Karen. Also at the lake; Bill Siefert, D. J. and their children. Jackie Milton and her three boys have spent a month there too.

## Sailing, Sailing

The H. L. Martins started out on the "Orient," a 65 ft. schooner in April on the Great Lakes and are still bound for San Francisco. They have stopped in many ports on the way, have stayed in Bermuda, Panama, and at present are in Acapulco. They expect to be home in September. This is the kind of vacation one could write a book about!

Back from the bounding waves to our pleasant patios: Much of the fun in Orinda happens in entertaining in our own backyards. Esther Johnson had a most pleasant coffee party for all the neighbors. It was fun to get together and enjoy all the goodies that Esther had prepared. Most of the people I talked to about their vacations always ended up by saying something about how good it was to be home again and that Orinda had the best vacation climate by far.

This is going to end up sounding like a Chamber of Commerce ad — but summertime in Orinda REALLY is grand! Have fun!



SMILING HAPPILY after their wedding in Berkeley's Trinity Methodist Church Saturday are Alex "Sandy" Howard and his wife, the former Marilyn Joan Zavattero of Berkeley. Alex is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Howard of Lafayette. Honeymoon plans have not been disclosed.



A BEAMING couple are newlywedded Mr. and Mrs. Howard Frick, married recently in Walnut Creek Methodist Church. The bride is the former Diane Bringolf, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bringolf of 108 Arlene Drive, Walnut Creek.

## Alex Howard, Joan Zavattero Wed in Berkeley

Alex Howard and Marilyn Joan Zavattero are honeymooning in an "undisclosed" spot following their wedding at Berkeley's Trinity Methodist Chapel Saturday afternoon.

Alex, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Howard, 888 Moraga Road, Lafayette, is a recent graduate with honors of San Francisco City College.

The bride is the daughter of Dr. Matthew Zavattero of Berkeley. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Peterson.

A reception was held in the church for family and friends, followed by a private reception at the Howard home.

The bride carried a bouquet of roses and wore a gown with filigree lace sleeves and a shoulder length net veil attached to a Juliet cap.

The couple will make their home in Oakland.

## Bennetts-Erhart Rites Followed By Carmel Trip

Barbara Letty Bennetts and George Robert Erhart were married Saturday evening in the Trinity Methodist Chapel in Berkeley, with the Rev. Holland Burr performing the ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Charles Stewart Bennetts and maid of honor was Miss Diane Zimm. Matron of honor was the bride's sister, Mrs. Robert B. Kern. Best man was James Erhart, brother of the groom, and Richard Kissick performed ushering duties.

THE BRIDE is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennetts of 48 Tarry Lane, Orinda. The groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Erhart, reside at 911 Shasta Avenue, Dunsmuir.

The bride chose a gown with lace bodice and a tulle and lace skirt of ballerina length. Her Juliet cap of lace supported a fingertip veil and she carried a bouquet of phalaenopsis and stephanotis.

FLOWER GIRL was Miss Donna Bennetts, niece of the bride, who wore pale green nylon with a pink daisy bouquet and matching headpiece.

Both bride and groom are students at San Jose State College and George is a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity there. The couple enjoyed a Carmel honeymoon.

## Daydreams -- Dramteur Style

While riding in a train, plane or bus, we have all done some daydreaming. An attempt to dramatize this world of "wakeup dreams" will be made by the Dramateurs in their workshop presentation Monday at 8 p.m. in Fellowship Hall, Orinda Community Church.

The piece being presented is part of William Saroyan's "Subway Circus."

There is no admission charge. Charles E. Scott of Orinda, who formerly taught drama at Wabash College, Indiana, is directing a cast of more than 15 for this unusual production.

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## Diane Bringolf Is Married

Miss Diane Bringolf, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bringolf of 108 Arlene Drive, Walnut Creek, became Mrs. Howard Frick in recent ceremonies at the Walnut Creek Methodist Church.

The Rev. Archie Wolfe officiated at the ceremony at which Diane wore a ballerina length gown of white faille and tulle. A fingertip veil flowed from a pearl encrusted Juliet cap and she carried a bouquet of white carnations and bouvardia.

KATHRYN BRINGOLF was her sister's only attendant. She wore a ballerina length dress of green cotton and carried a bouquet of pink carnations with matching flowers in her hair.

Kenneth Frick of Arvin was best man for his brother while John Bowles of Davis and Jack Buster of Madeline were ushers.

Congratulations and best wishes were offered at a garden reception at the home of the bride's parents immediately after the ceremony. The couple will reside in Sacramento.

## Visitor Honored At Tea at Home Of Mrs. Lippi

Mrs. Eda Lippi of 18 St. James Court, Orinda, honored her house guest, Mrs. Oleta Ramage, administrative assistant, Central Delaware County Joint Schools, Media, Pa., with a tea Tuesday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock.

The guest list included members of the professional staff of Oakland Child Care Centers, as Mrs. Ramage served as supervisor of extended care there during World War II. It also included University of California campus associates of the guest of honor.

Mrs. Lippi also served as music coordinator with the Oakland Child Care Centers. Mrs. Ramage received her Master's degree from U.C. in 1932, after graduating with the class of 1930.

Tea-guests enjoyed the beauty of "Edeana," Mrs. Lippi's hilltop home overlooking Sleepy Hollow and Moraga Valley. The patio and lovely gardens were the setting for many conversational groups renewing old friendships.

Among the guests were Mesdames A. J. Lichtig, Herbert L. Beach, Vernon Breckenridge, Ella Peckham, Hamilton Wolf, Dorothy Stuckert, Judy Howland, Sylvia Frederickson, Edward Watson, Elma Bliss, Walter Pickett, Elaine Green, Phyllis Green, McCullough Reed, Grace Bell, Margaret Ayer, Miriam Ellis, Effie Gibbs, Betty Johnson, R. E. Luby, Lucile Allen, M. B. Smiley, Julia Alderson, Ethel Spangler, Elsie Curran, Maxine Christopher, Marie Jorgenson, Helen Zeus, Barbara Wall, J. E. Courtnier, Charlotte Foss, Elizabeth Case, Ann Bethel, F. J. Thomas, Edward Mansfield and William Lincoln and Miss Viola Sudarth.

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THE DAUGHTER of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Vochatzer of 1735 Oak Boulevard, Pleasant Hill, Marion wore nylon tulle over white satin with a flowing train.

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Mrs. Edwin Firby of Lafayette, a sister of Marion, was maid of honor. She wore a ballerina-length blue antique shantung dress and carried a nosegay of pink carnations.

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A BROTHER-IN-LAW of the benedict, Glen C. Worden of Lafayette, was best man and ushers were Stephen Salter, John's brother, David Jones, Dean Rhodes and Harry Wade.

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A reception in the church followed the ceremony.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Salter of Danville, John is presently employed as an engineer in the design office of the Mare Island Naval Shipyard. He completed his junior year at Cal Poly and plans to return to school this fall.

He met his bride while both were attending East Contra Costa Junior College.

## French Art, Preview Will Open Gallery

Men, women and station wagons will be pressed into service this weekend as members of Outdoor Art Shows, Inc., move their outlet for artists' wares, the Artists Market, into its new location at 4320 Mt. Diablo Boulevard in Lafayette.

The new market and gallery, featuring paintings, drawings, sculpture, jewelry, ceramics, screen prints and other media of Bay Area artists, will officially open Sunday, August 15, according to Mrs. Frederick Confer, chairman.

TO CELEBRATE ITS debut in new, larger and more attractive and accessible quarters, the market will have a preview on Sunday, August 15, from 4 to 7 p.m. In addition to a completely new stock of "products" by Bay Area artists, the Diablo Valley art center at Lafayette will have for its opening approximately 24 international known works of art loaned for the occasion by the San Francisco Museum of Art.

Through the cooperation of Dr. Grace Morley of the San Francisco Museum, paintings by Friesz, Hofer, Lhote, Matisse, Rivera, Roualt, Utrillo and Vlaminck, among other standouts, will be shown at the Artists Market on opening preview night and also daily, except Monday, from 1 to 4 p.m. The public is invited to view these paintings in this area for the first time.

A jury to admit works from Bay Area artists to the market will be composed of Mesdames Robert Brown, Frank Clough, Rawlings Simon and ex-officio Mrs. Confer.

BESIDES MEMBERS of the jury, serving on the Artists Market and Gallery committee are the Mesdames John Glover, John Havens, Ray Garrett, Gordon Linsley, Jack Noble, William Ornduff, Arthur Sassone, W. Sears, W. Sievert, W. Sparkman, T. E. Tynon, C. Waldo, W. Wilkinson, John Irving, P. Merrill, Lee Seagriff, M. Sagenkahn, John Ellis, O. L. King, J. Gordon Ainsworth and Charles Gebhardt.

Membership in Outdoor Art Shows, non-profit civic organization for the Diablo Valley, may be obtained by writing Mrs. James McGeehan Jr., 2400 Warren Road, Walnut Creek.

## AAUW Picnic Dinner

The annual picnic of the Walnut Creek Branch of the American Association of University Women will be held tomorrow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irving White on Lucy Lane. The affair will feature a planned pot-luck supper at 6 p.m.

Arrangements, which include swimming and such active games as volleyball and badminton, have been under the chairmanship of Mrs. John D. Riner.

Her committee are Mesdames Irving White, C. D. Grove, H. A. Mularky, Francis J. Clune, William Benjamin, and Don Laton.

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WED RECENTLY in Christ the King Catholic Church in Pleasant Hill are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schilling. The bride, the former Beverly Sare, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sare of Vivian Drive. She will reside in Walnut Creek, while her husband, an Oakland man, serves in Germany with U. S. Air Force.

—Wentling Photo, Courtesy of Tribune

## Jordans at 50th Anniversary

A petite, brown-eyed girl named Grace Jones caught the eye of young Harvey Jordan at a country birthday party in Iola, Kansas in 1902. Two years later, on July 25, 1904, they were married at Los Angeles, where Harvey was employed.

Sunday, July 25, four generations of their family met at the Jordan home at 1530 Sunnyvale Avenue, to celebrate the couple's Golden Wedding anniversary.

A buffet turkey dinner was served to the family amid a setting of walnut trees and summer flowers.

IN THE LATE AFTERNOON, a large white sheet cake inscribed with the words "Happy 50th Anniversary, Mom and Dad," trimmed with yellow roses and gold leaves, and punch were served to the scores of friends who called during the open-house following the dinner.

Three white yellow-throated orchids formed the corsage given to Mrs. Jordan by her ten great-grandchildren for the occasion, and a gift of the family was a table-model radio. The couple also received many other appropriate gifts.

Family members present were their three daughters and sons-in-laws, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Holmes of Walnut Creek, Mr. and Mrs. George Ford of Stockton, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson of French Camp, California; Mr. Jordan's sister, Mrs. Clara Breckenridge, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Edith Breckenridge, both of Oroquieta, California; and Mr. Jordan's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rescoe Jordan of Oakland.

GRANDCHILDREN PRESENT were Jackie Coble and husband John; Barbara Lawrence and husband Fred; Clifford Johnson and wife Clarice; Lorraine Pree and husband Fred; Verna Ford and George Ford, all of Stockton, and Pat, Adela and Bobby Holmes of Walnut Creek.

Also present were Sharyn Lawrence; Brent and Lynn Johnson; Sheryl and Paula Pree; Jeni-Kathleen, Darrel, Ruth Marie and Steven Coble, and Johnny Hopkins, the 10 great-grandchildren who comprise the 4th generation.

The Jordans lived in Los Angeles for two years, and other California communities until 1936, when they first moved to the Bay Area to make their home. In 1939, they moved to their home on Sunnyvale Avenue, and Mr. Jordan engaged in poultry ranching until his retirement some years ago.

Since that time, he has devoted his time to the raising of yellow calla-lilies, and is noted for his large and beautiful beds of these flowers. Mrs. Jordan's hobby is "watching the progress through the years." She cited as an example the tremendous growth of their own community in the time they have lived there.

## Monahans Take Eastern Trip

Mrs. Odie R. Monahan and her three children, Chip, Megan and Britt of Loma Vista Drive, Orinda, left by train this week for a five week visit with friends and relatives in New York and Connecticut.

Mr. Monahan will fly to join his family in mid-August, at which time they plan to drive from Manhattan to the Adirondacks for a stay at the Lake Placid Club.

They expect to return home in time for the Labor Day weekend.

## House Guest for Gertrude Walker

Ruth Lorraine Close, noted harpist and resident of Palm Springs, is now visiting Mrs. Gertrude Walker, 3322 Walnut Lane, Lafayette, who lived in Palm Springs before moving here.

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# SPORTS

## Sideline Slants

## Acalanes Coaches Attend Nevada U's Week-Long Coaching School in Reno

By ERWIN MATTSO

RECENTLY I ATTENDED a coaching school conducted under the auspices of the University of Nevada, at Reno.

Jean Ridley, Acalanes Varsity basketball and J.V. football coach, and Tom Stamper, frosh football mentor, were with me.

The school ran for a full week, six hours a day, with Phog Allen teaching basketball and Tatum of Maryland University instructing in the intricacies of football.

BOTH INSTRUCTORS are nationally known as authorities in their fields.

Maryland, under Tatum, was rated last year by many as the No. 1 club of the nation. In a post-season game Maryland dropped out of the undefeated class when it was defeated by Oklahoma, the club that plays the University of California in the opener at Berkeley this year.

Maryland's defeat at the hands of Oklahoma can be attributed in part to the fact that it lost its ace All-American quarterback the week of the game when he was injured in a practice session.

ALLEN HAS BEEN in the sports headlines not only off his achievements in basketball itself but also as a result of some of his theories on game rules and his frequent "blasts" at gambling in regard to sports and at overemphasis by some schools in connection with "scholarships."

Tatum teaches the split T, which involves a split in the linemen and a quarterback who carries the ball a good part of the time.

Recent years have found a great number of T variations, and the latest tendency is to spread offensive players, thus forcing the defense to spread, opening the way for long gains.

## Molina Decisions McKoy to Win Main In Legion Boxing

Louis Molina of Santa Clara slugged out a win by decision over Johnny McKoy of Pittsburgh Saturday night in the main event of the third in a series of Walnut Creek American Legion sponsored amateur boxing bouts in Walnut Creek.

Before a crowd of more than 400 persons, Molina scored his first damage in the first round as his punches caused McKoy's left eye to swell shut.

THE SANTA CLARA puncher kept working on the eye and scored more damage as he cut Molina's lower lip in the fourth and final round.

The most popular fighter award was presented to Ike Villa who knocked out Johnny Miles after one minute 10 seconds in the fourth round.

A technical knockout was awarded to belting Billy Brown in the second round after he split the lower lip of Bill Orsis.

In other fights, decisions were won by Don Foley over Jim

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## Caswell, Lutz Smash Racers

Walnut Creek's two hard top pilots will be back in action tonight after being involved in accidents at Contra Costa Stadium last Friday.

Bob Caswell and Fred Lutz were put out of last week's 25-lap main event via the crackup route. Caswell was involved in a pileup which resulted in a broken radiator on his car. He kept the car in the race for several laps until the engine overheated.

Lutz was crowded into the crash-wall at full-throttle by Mel Baker of Sacramento. The Walnut Creek veteran escaped injury, but his car was damaged extensively.

AT LEAST TWO Offenhausers will be entered in tomorrow night's 100-lap midweek race at Contra Costa Stadium.

Upon hearing that the BCRA would allow Walt Land of Sacramento to drive his Offenhauser, despite a ruling which outlaws the speedy cars, Ed Normi of Petaluma contacted an Oregon car owner to make arrangements for a ride in an Offy.

The "Petaluma Flyer" will pilot the Bulls Special from Medford. IN ADDITION to the pair of Offy drivers, other top contenders include Dick Reese of Walnut Creek, Bud Bray of Lafayette and Frank Blado of Concord.

Since the Offenhauser-barring regulation was relaxed this week, Jack London, BCRA business manager, has decided to make the race an invitational championship open to the nine western states.

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## Today's Many-Colored Roses Owe Much To J. Pernet Ducher's Lifelong Work

History is replete with the names of men each of whom devoted a lifetime to a single ideal. This story, from the California Association of Nurserymen, is of a man gifted with genius, who throughout his entire lifetime was consumed by a burning desire to bring a single quality into a rose.

His name was J. Pernet Ducher, and France was his country. It takes a long time to read through the list of rose varieties introduced by Pernet, from about 1880 until his death in 1928.

There are Talisman, Soleil d'Or - or Souvenir de Claudius Pernet - and many more.

But it is not for the number of successful varieties that he brought forth that his name particularly lives - it is for his all-consuming ambition to introduce yellow into the garden roses of his day, something unknown at the time.

IN HIS SEEKING he made false starts. He had trials and suffered disappointments. But ultimately this man succeeded in his strange, singular search.

Today nearly any history of the rose will credit Pernet Ducher with introducing yellow pigments into roses.

He achieved his fondest desire when he gave the world a pure yellow, low hybrid tea rose. This "Souvenir de Claudius Pernet" was introduced in 1920.

HOW DOES THIS affect us today? Without this man's work we would have no magnificent clear yellow roses like Lowell Thomas, Eclipse, High Noon and Buccaneer. The brilliant glowing reds - New

## Van Brocklin Starts Column

Norman Van Brocklin, football great and son of the late Mack Van Brocklin, of 1633 Parkside Drive, Walnut Creek, is now embarking on a career as a sports columnist.

The column, on football, will run for 20 weeks and is now being offered to weekly newspapers throughout the state.

One of the greatest athletes coached by Erwin Mattson at Acalanes High School, Van Brocklin is now a quarterback with the Los Angeles Rams.

He was All Pacific Coast quarterback at University of Oregon in 1947 and 1948 and also All American in 1948. With the Rams he has been league passing champion for three years and runner-up for two years.

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## Elkintons Back From Trailer Trip East

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Elkinton of 11 Honey Hill Road have just returned from a seven weeks' trailer and railroad trip.

With their small but completely convenient trailer they drove first to Denver. From there they went by train to Philadelphia to visit his brother who manages and owns the Philadelphia Quartz Co., while Mr. A. W. Elkinton manages the Berkeley branch. Here also Mr. Elkinton attended the 40th anniversary of his graduation class from Haverford College, and enjoyed immensely the festivities and seeing old friends.

After picking up their trailer in Denver they drove to Rocky Mountain National Park and then on to the lake region in Wyoming where Fred said the fishing was really good. They saw the sights about Jackson Hole, a very popular western resort where everyone wears Levis, plaid shirts and big hats.

In Idaho they found the Crater of the Moon National Park most interesting. At all these places they found their trailer easily parked right along a lake shore or taken into a wooded area. Winding roads presented no problem to its rather small size and weight, even on mountain grades.

## Rev Lewis Home After Operation

The Rev. Chester R. Lewis of the Lafayette Community Methodist Church returned home Tuesday from Merritt Hospital, Oakland, where he underwent major surgery Monday for removal of a tumor from his back.

Mr. Lewis was reported yesterday to be recovering satisfactorily. His office said he will probably not resume his pulpit duties until early September. He is scheduled for his vacation the month of August.

**JUSTIN P. TOLEPPE** of the Goodwill Industries, Oakland, will deliver the sermon at the 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. services Sunday. His topic will be "Living Without Strain."

Last Sunday, Mr. Lewis delivered the sermon, "We Are All Going Somewhere," at the 11 a.m. service and the Rev. Marvin Jacob, Presbyterian minister from West Fargo, N.D., preached on "Christ, Our Hope" at the 8:30 a.m. service.

**MR. JACOBS** is the son-in-law of the Jack Inman-Kanes of Upper Valley Road. He and his wife and their 1½-year-old son are visiting the Inman-Kanes for the summer.

Mr. Lewis entered Merritt Hospital Sunday afternoon.

## Aid for 'Heifer Project' for Korea Urged Here

Aid to the "Heifer Project" for replenishing the depleted herds of South Korea was urged yesterday by the Rev. Chester R. Lewis of Lafayette Community Methodist Church.

Mr. Lewis called attention to the project after receiving a letter from J. Russell Johnson, director of the Northern California-Nevada Council of Churches, publicizing the appeal.

The "Heifer Project" is headed nationally by General James A. Van Fleet and has the backing of President Eisenhower, who has stated, "What we do now for Korea may decide what our boys have to do in Asia five or 10 years from now."

**THE CAMPAIGN** is under the guidance of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. In California it is under the supervision of Dr. Frank A. Saunders, 336 Lafayette Street, Stockton. Financial donations and animals should be sent to him by August 10, for the first "mercy ship" cargo to Korea.

Free rail service for transportation of animals is being provided by the Association of American Railroads, and special rates are scheduled by steamship companies.

**THE APPEAL FOR FUNDS** with which to buy animals for Korea has as its immediate object the obtaining of cattle, including heifers; goats, hogs, bees, mules and donkeys, to be sent to agricultural colleges to be utilized in building up South Korea's depleted herds.

"Everyone who can possibly do so is urged to contribute to this effort to help the people of Korea help themselves," Mr. Lewis said.

## STORK CLUB....

**PETER SAPUTO JR.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Saputo, 111 Sleepy Hollow Lane, are the parents of a third boy, Peter Jr., born July 21 at Kaiser Foundation Hospital in Walnut Creek.

He weighed 8 pounds 7 ounces and has two brothers, Leonard, 14, and Michael, 10.

### Ten Year Award

Robert T. Milligan recently observed his 10th anniversary with Shell Development Company, Milligan, an engineer at the Emeryville research center's process engineering department, lives at 138 El Teyonal.

## Bromleys Leave For Manila

Dr. LeRoy Bromley, wife, and four children will leave Orinda tomorrow for a week's stay in Palo Alto, and then will fly to Manila, P. I.

Dr. Bromley, a chemical engineer on the U. C. staff, has been given a contract by Stanford University and the University of the Philippines, to teach at the latter for one year on thermodynamics and heat transfer, of which he is a recognized authority.

The air trip to Manila will take but 33 hours. The Bromleys will live on the university campus. During their absence their interesting new circular house, which they built over a period of three years, will be leased.

## Cal Alumni Go to Camp

Among the families which have been taking advantage of the University of California alumni camp, "Lair of the Golden Bear" near Pinerest are:

From Orinda, The Robeson E. Smiths and Standish Massies; From Lafayette, The Joe F. Byrnes, William Richards, Elliott J. Hartmann, and Joel Kitchens.

### Save — Shop at Home

#### LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE REZONING UNDER THE PRECISE LAND USE MASTER PLAN FOR A PORTION OF THE ORINDA AREA, CONTRA COSTA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA.**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on the 11th day of August, 1954, at the hour of 9:00 P. M. of said day in Room 210, Hall of Records, Martinez, Calif., the Contra Costa County Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on matters pertaining to the rezoning of lands lying within the boundaries of the following maps: "The Districts Map For The North Orinda Area, Contra Costa County, California, Insert Map No. 12" and "The Districts Map For The Southeast Orinda Area, Contra Costa County, California, Insert Map No. 14." The matter of said hearing pertains to the following described property within the State of California, to-wit:

Beginning at a concrete monument on the West side of San Pablo Creek Road, said monument described on map of Unit No. 1, Haciendas Del Orinda recorded in the Contra Costa County Recorder's Office in Book 18 of Maps at pages 440, 441, 442; thence along the Northwestly Line of Lot One (1) Rancho El Sobrante 50.04 ft. to a point in the center line of San Pablo Creek Road; thence along the center line of said road S. 54° 13' E. 92.70 ft.; thence along the arc of a curve to the right with a radius of 955 ft., 171.40 ft.; thence S. 43° 58' E. 202.47 ft. to a point; thence N. 69° 56' W. 138 ft.; thence along the arc of a curve to the left with a radius of 1000 ft., a distance of 300.71 ft.; thence N. 81° 26' W. 163 ft.; thence along the arc of a curve to the right with a radius of 1000 ft., a distance of 366.52 ft.; thence N. 60° 26' W. 718 ft.; thence along the arc of a curve to the right with a radius of 1500 ft., a distance of 698.77 ft.; thence N. 33° 56' W. 372 ft.; thence N. 67° 16' E. 565.50 ft. to the point of beginning.

**YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED** that the County Planning Commission will consider the rezoning of the above described property from a Transition Residential Agricultural District (R-A) to a Retail Business District (R-B).

**YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED** that this is a public hearing required by law under the Conservation and Planning Law, and which said hearing may conclude the hearings before the Planning Commission prior to the presentation of a report and recommendation to the Board of Supervisors of the County of Contra Costa. If this hearing concludes the hearings by the Planning Commission, a report of findings, summaries of hearings and recommendation of the Planning Commission will then be presented to the Board of Supervisors.

This notice has been prepared subsequent to the preparation of the map for the Contra Costa County Planning Commission for the month of August, 1954.

G. F. McCormick, Secretary, Contra Costa County Planning Commission.

O-428 — Or. Sun, July 30.

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**SATURDAY, JULY 31**  
Orinda Park Pool — community supper, 6:30 p.m.; dance, 8 p.m. (Both events for members, their families and their guests.)

**MONDAY, AUGUST 2**  
Dramateurs, workshop presentation, "Subway Circus," Fellowship Hall, Orinda Community Church, 8 p.m.

Orinda School Board, public budget hearing, Orinda School, 8 p.m.  
Lafayette Playshop, meeting to decide on fall production, home of Sibyl Fisher, 3555 Wildwood Lane, Lafayette, 8 p.m.

Contra Costa Real Estate Mart breakfast, El Nido, 8 a.m.  
Orinda Lodge 704, F&AM, Orinda Community Church, 7:30 p.m.

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 3**  
Chamber of Commerce, Willows, noon.

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4**  
Dramateurs, final auditions for fall production, "Summer and Smoke," Fellowship Hall, Orinda Community Church, 8 p.m.

Rotary Club, Willows, noon.  
**THURSDAY, AUGUST 5**  
Central Contra Costa Sanitary

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
**NOTICE TO BIDDER**

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Board of Trustees of the Orinda Union School District at the Orinda Union School, Orinda, California, at any time prior to 6:00 P.M. on Aug. 9, 1954, for labor, materials, equipment, mechanical workmanship, transportation and services to be used and employed in the erection and completion of a Teacher's Room Addition and facilities at the Orinda School located on school property on San Pablo Highway, Orinda, California, in accordance with plans and specifications for the same prepared by Jack Buchter, Architect, A.I.A., and on file in the office of the Architect at 61 Moraga Highway, Orinda, California.

Bidders are notified that pursuant to the statutes of the State of California, and local law thereto applicable, the said board has ascertained the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and rates for legal holidays and overtime work in the locality in which this work is to be performed for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the contract, which will be awarded to the successful bidder and said rates are as follows:

**WAGE SCALE**

Prevailing rate of per diem wages ascertained and established by the Orinda Union School District of Orinda, California, and the County of Contra Costa, to be paid by the Contractor and all Subcontractors.

**Crafts or Types of Workmen Prevailing Hourly Wage**

Carpenters \$2.54  
Carpenter's Helpers 2.00  
Cement Finishers 2.57  
Cement Workers (Plus 4% Vacation allowance) 2.85  
Engineers:  
Blade Grader (Finish Work) 2.83  
Compressor 2.28  
Concrete Mixer (up to one yard) 2.28  
Concrete Mixer (over one yard) 2.61  
Hoisting on building (Material) 2.56  
Electricians 2.23  
Roller Operators 2.67  
Shovel Operators (up to and inc. one yard) 2.83  
Tractor Operators 2.67  
Glaziers — Building Construction 2.45  
Welders 2.85  
Laborers:  
General 1.85  
Concrete Workers (Wet and Dry) 1.85  
Jackhammer Ops. & Handlers of Pneum. tils. 1.95  
Vibrators 1.95  
Truck laborers 1.85  
Watchmen 1.85  
Lathers (6 Hr. day) 3.50  
Painters (7 Hr. day) 2.60  
Plasterers (6 Hr. day) 3.50  
Plasterers — Hodcarriers 3.12  
Plumbers (plus 12% vacation and welfare) 2.90  
Roofers 2.65  
Sheet Metal Workers 2.6975  
Steamfitters 2.90  
Teamsters: Under 4 yards (water level) 1.95  
4 yards and less than 6 yards 2.09  
6 yards and less than 8 yards 2.19  
8 yards and over 2.60

Overtime work in any regular working day is regular time and one-half. Saturday, Sunday and Legal Holiday work is double regular rate. Each bidder shall accompany his bid with a cashier's check, or a certified check, drawn on a solvent bank made payable to the Orinda Union School District for not less than 10% of the total amount of his bid, all in keeping with the said specifications. The successful bidder to whom the contract is awarded shall give two surety bonds acceptable to the Board of Trustees, one bond shall be for the full amount of the contract price for faithful performance, and one bond shall be in the amount of fifty percent of the contract price for protection of materialmen.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any irregularity in any bid.

Dated this 6th day of July, 1954.

CATHERINE SCHWARCK  
Clerk of the Board of Trustees  
Orinda Union School District.

O-425, Orinda Sun, July 23, 30, 1954.



## Wedding Invitations and Announcements

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## Presbyterian

The Lafayette-Orinda Presbyterian Church will conduct its services at the Park Theater in Lafayette Sunday at 11:15 a.m.

Reverend William Carl Thomas, pastor, will preach the third in a series of six sermons on the general theme "Alternatives to Christianity." Sunday's message will be "Serving the God of Communism," taken from Acts, chapter 4.

Sunday School classes will start at 9:30 a.m. for all age groups. Classes will be held in the following homes:

Beginners, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Van Dorn, 1057 Laurel Drive, Lafayette; Kindergarten, home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Sommers, 711 Los Palos Drive, Lafayette; Primary, home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Holley, 1098 Miller Drive, Lafayette; Junior, home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Clausen, 3500 Hamilton Road, Lafayette.

The high school group will meet in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert E. Everson, 1133 Thomson Road, Lafayette and the Adult Bible Class will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the theater.

The first of a series of four classes will be conducted at 6:30 p.m. in the home of Reverend and Mrs. Thomas at 10 Oak Drive, Orinda, on the subject, "Who is the True Christian?" Anyone wishing to join the second chapter member group should attend all four classes.

## Lutheran

"Our Righteousness" will be the theme of Pastor Merle O. Tollefson's message to be preached at Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 1035 Car of Lane, Lafayette, Sunday.

Holy Communion will be celebrated at both the 8 and 11 a.m. worship services.

Sunday School and an Adult Bible Class is offered at 9:30 a.m. Supervised nursery for the little ones is provided during the 11 a.m.

## Covenant

Eugene Lundberg, well known tenor, will give a sacred concert, 8 p.m. Monday, at the Lafayette Covenant Church. Everyone is welcome.

Rev. G. Raymond White, pastor, will speak at the morning and 7:30 evening worship services Sunday. Wednesday, 8 p.m. midweek service, worship service.

## Expert Opens Hairstyle Shop

A complete training in beauty culture and styling comes to Lafayette with the opening of Moorheads Style House Beauty Salon at 3579 Mt. Diablo Boulevard.

Elizabeth Moorhead, owner, has won international awards in New York in the field of permanent waving and has studied extensively in the fields of cosmetology and hair dressing and styling.

### LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON AN APPLICATION FOR A LAND USE PERMIT**

**YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED,** that on Tuesday night, August 10, 1954, at the hour of 7:30 P.M. of said day, in Room 210, Hall of Records, Martinez, California, THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT WILL consider the application of James A. Brown for a permit for 20 ft. set back for addition to residence on Las Vegas as provided under THE ZONING ORDINANCE of the COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA.

The property above referred to is described as follows, to-wit: Lot 508 & a portion of 507, Haciendas Del Orinda Unit No. 5 fronting 151 ft. on the south side of Las Vegas approx. 150 ft. west of Via Floreado.

J. P. CONNORS,  
Chairman of Contra Costa County Planning Commission

O-427, Orinda Sun, July 30, 1954.

## GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

### Community

The 10:30 a.m. morning worship service at the Orinda Community Church will be under the direction of Ray Welles, student assistant, in the absence of Rev. Fred Morrow who is on vacation. The subject of the sermon is chosen by the young people of the church and the title will be "Practicing the Presence of God."

The solo will be "The Publican" by Jim Hupp, baritone, who will be accompanied at the organ by Dan Popovich. Other music in the service will include "Serenade" by Schubert, "Air for the G String" by Bach, and "Fantasia in A Minor" by Bach.

Young people attend the service in the chapel and children of elementary school age are provided with a special visual program under the supervision of R. O. Monosmith which will have the general theme: "This is my Father's World."

There is also a continuation of Sunday school departments for preschool children and nursery care. All visitors in the community and newcomers are most welcome.

The youth groups of the Church meet at the regular time throughout the summer: Junior High Fellowship at 5:30 p.m. and Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 6:45 p.m.

## Episcopal

For the last time until September, the Reverend Charles M. Hill will administer Holy Communion at both the 8 and 9:30 a.m. services Sunday to the congregation of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church on Via Las Cruces in Orinda.

The Reverend and Mrs. Hill, together with their family, will spend two weeks of their vacation period at Camp Galilee on the shore of Lake Tahoe where Rev. Hill will teach classes of young people at the famed summer camp of the Missionary Diocese of Nevada.

Founded by Bishop William F. Lewis, a friend of the Hills for over 25 years, Camp Galilee was designed for Nevada Episcopalians.

It has drawn worshippers from resorts throughout the Lake area, who attend the Sunday services conducted by the Bishop in the picturesque church whose giant window above the altar frames a superb view of the lake, in place of the customary stained glass.

Following their stay at Camp Galilee, the Hills will spend a week

### Lutheran

"Christ, the Hope of the World," is the theme for the World Council of Churches meeting in Evanston, Illinois and it is also the sermon topic for the communion services conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Edward R. Andersen, at 8 and 11 a.m. at the Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church at 294 Orchard Road in Orinda.

Mrs. Ruth P. Andersen, kindergarten teacher at Vallecito School on Mt. Diablo Highway and music director of the Vacation Bible School, will be the speaker at the Sunday School services at 9:30 and 10 a.m.

Wednesday evening at 7 the children and teachers of the Vacation Bible School who are studying the course, "Pioneering with Christ!" will present a program, of songs, recitations, demonstrations and informal displays for their parents, friends and neighbors of the community in the outdoor chapel.

Each one of the four classes, preschool with Mrs. Martilla and Mrs. Heckathorn and the primary with Mrs. Bekeham and Mrs. Jones and the junior class with Mrs. McClanahan and Mrs. Thomas-Stahle and the young peoples class with Mrs. Bush and Russell Mjones will present a part of the program.

There will be group singing and group displays of handicraft projects which have been completed.

### Houston Assignment

Ross E. Van Dyke of 10 Lind Court, will begin one-year training assignments later this year with Shell Oil Company at the Houston refinery.

Van Dyke is a chemist in the catalysis and surface chemistry department at Shell Development Company's Emeryville research center. He holds a Ph. D. degree from Brown University and joined the company three years ago.

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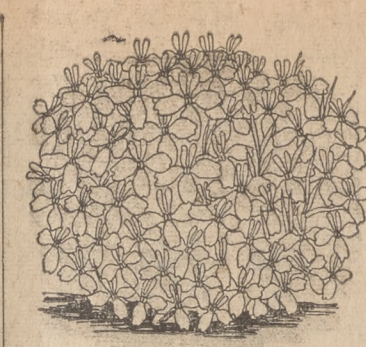
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tends all summer long and with a  
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den plantings and for hanging bas-  
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# A Few Citizens Can Do a Lot

It's not easy to believe that freeways will be built in Lafayette, Walnut Creek and Pleasant Hill within the next four, five or six years.

After all, we've asked the state to hand us millions of dollars worth of construction... and who can find it easy to believe that one is going to hand him millions of dollars? Too, it's hard to believe because it would be almost too good to be true.

Every Central Contra Costa has some private ideas about how freeways will eliminate some of the most irritating and hateful moments of his day—those moments he spends trying to get somewhere on our jam-packed roads.

Like children the night before that long-dreamed-of vacation, we've thought so much about the beauties of a freeway that there are moments when we can hardly believe it will ever become a reality.

We may thank our stars that there is a group of men who have been constantly working for these freeways that we need so much, never losing their conviction that they will be built.

Foremost of this group have been Elliot Hartman and Edward Rowland of the local traffic problem, surveyed local civic and citizen organizations to obtain their ideas about freeways, and made special trips to Sacramento to present their findings, often organizing caravans of other civic leaders to accompany them.

They have been aided in their task by such county and state office holders as Assemblyman Donald Doyle, Representative Robert L. Condon when he was state assemblyman, Senator George Miller Jr. and Supervisor Ray Taylor.

This group approached the problem on a straightforward, business-like level, treating it as a project that could and would be solved. When others were wondering how any small area could possibly influence the mammoth and complex machinery of state government, this group went straight to the heart of the matter.

They went to the State Highway Commission, making every effort to keep Central Contra Costa's traffic situation fresh in the minds of the members of that commission.

They started when the idea of freeways here was only a dream.

Even when budgets were completed and no immediate gain was in sight, these men still kept going back to Sacramento at regular intervals to make sure that our local traffic headache would never be forgotten there.

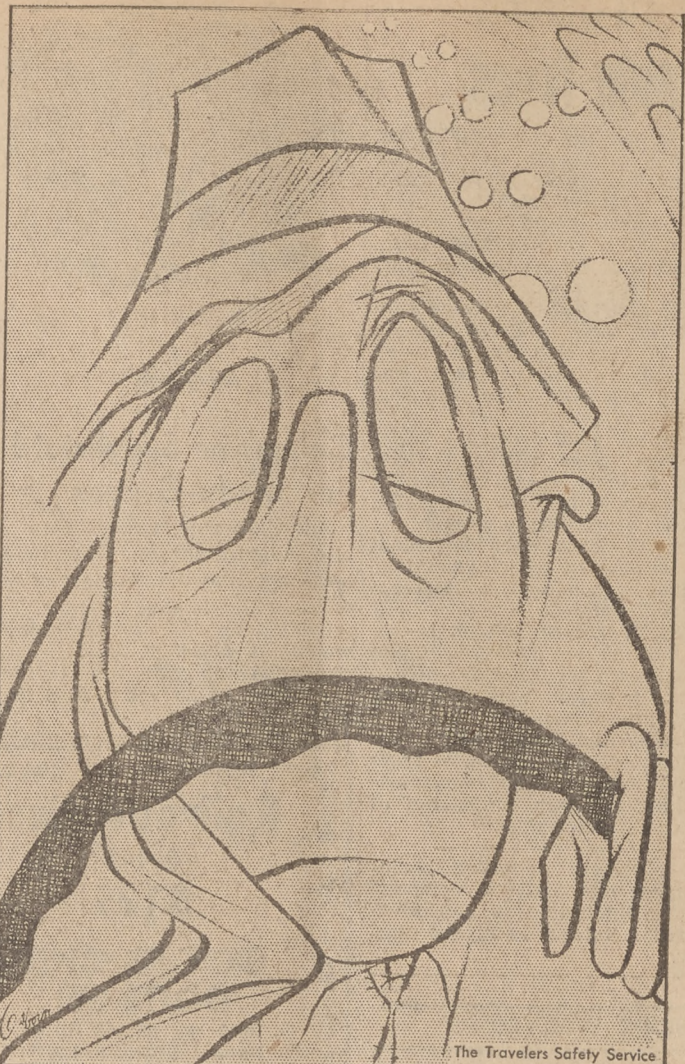
They are still at it. Toward the end of August they will go northward once more to try to convince the commission that funds for the Lafayette freeway should be allocated in the 1955-56 budget.

When those funds are finally obtained, they will undoubtedly continue their efforts until the freeway is complete from the tunnel east through Lafayette and Walnut Creek, then north through Pleasant Hill and south through Danville.

Without this small group of citizens, the project would not be as far along as it is today; it is questionable if we would even be able to foresee completion in any given number of years.

Who, ME?

by Robert Osborn



The most dangerous time in traffic is from 4 to 6 p.m., when drivers are tired. Only YOU can prevent accidents!

What They Say...

## How About Summer Recreation?

Time can hang heavy on the hands of a child of school age who finds himself with nothing to do during the long summer days.

Children who find themselves in this predicament can also be a considerable burden on their parents. Many children and parents alike have found relief in the many summer recreation programs being held throughout the area.

So, The SUN this week called parents to ask them, "Do you know about the Summer Recreation Program for children in your area? If so, are your children taking advantage of it?"

"I HAVE ONLY one child, 9 months old," said Mrs. J. C. Moore Jr., 45 Crest View Drive, Orinda. "She's too young, but I think it is a wonderful thing for the children."

Mrs. L. A. MORESKINE, 84 El Gavilan, Orinda, said, "I wasn't aware of it, but then my children are too young. I have a boy, 3 1/2. I think it's a wonderful idea, and I've felt there was a definite need for something like that."

"Well, no I don't know about it," said Mrs. Edward D. Morris, 200 Camilla Lane, Lafayette. "We have one child, 13, here, but she's been away most of the summer."

"Well, we just have one youngster and she has an eye situation this summer," answered Mrs. Thomas J. McCord of 137 Jennie Drive, Pleasant Hill. "We're working with the doctor and she has a patch on her eye so we just haven't asked her to participate."

"WELL YOU SEE, we're older and our children are raised," was the reply of Mrs. Leo Todresic of 113 Jennie Drive, Pleasant Hill. Mrs. Ellsworth E. Wood of 70 Carolyn Court, Walnut Creek, answered, "I know about it, but my children aren't in it. I have a two year old and a 13 year old and neither one of them are participating."

"I just have a young baby," said Mrs. James H. Bailey of 1807 Magnolia Way, Walnut Creek. "I know about the program and I think it's a fine thing and I know a lot of people with children that age are enjoying it, but my baby is too young."

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## Future Indonesian Diplomat Popular Orinda Baby-Sitter

Far-away places with strange-sounding names are becoming household words in Orinda this summer as residents make the acquaintance of Sudarmo Montanogoro.

Sudarmo, a quiet, unassuming young graduate of the University of California, is spending the summer with the Theodore Sanford family of 19 Hacienda Circle, Orinda. His own home is 9600 miles away, in Klaten, Java, but he hasn't seen his native land since he left it in 1944.

During the intervening years he has been preparing himself for a career of service to his country as a member of the Indonesian diplomatic corps. Currently he is working for a master's degree in international economic relations at Cal, and in December plans to return to Java.

ORINDA FAMILIES who have come to know Sudarmo count him among the most likeable and interesting of summer visitors. Says Mrs. Sanford:

"Sudarmo is in great demand as a baby-sitter too. He's popular with all the youngsters in the neighborhood."

"It's novel to find a future diplomat baby-sitting. If it wasn't for the fact that he wants to earn his passage back to Indonesia, we'd keep him busy as our V.I.P. guest."

Baby-sitting appointments may be made with Sudarmo at CLifford 4-5885.

A RECENT LENGTHY feature story in the Daily Californian tells of Sudarmo's successful career at UC.

Interviewed by a reporter, Sudarmo recalls the incidents which led to realization of his desire for a Western education.

He remembers the destruction wrought by the scorched earth policy of the Dutch in World War II and harsh treatment accorded his countrymen by the Japanese occupation forces.

WITH OTHER promising young Indonesians, Sudarmo was sent to the "International Students Institute" in Tokyo, where indoctrination in "everything Japanese" was the educational fare.

With the American victory in 1945, Sudarmo's life changed again. He was prevented from returning to his homeland due to the violence of revolution. After months of trying to come to America for schooling he finally was chosen to fill the University of California's request to government officials for enrollment of an Indonesian student.

"The university has long worked closely on Indonesian projects and has great sympathy for Indonesian problems," Sudarmo says.

WHILE AT UC, Sudarmo has garnered top honors. He is a member of Golden Bear, Circle "C," active in the World Student Service Fund and intensely interested in the program of Cal-Indo, the student group designed to promote better understanding between students in Indonesia and California.

Sudarmo says, "Cal-Indo is an example of the possibility of promoting world understanding if enough effort and foresightedness is expended."

In the words of the Daily Cal, "Sudarmo, by his splendid work and record here, is doing much to further the ideals of that world understanding."

HE WAS APPOINTED by Chancellor Clark Kerr as a student member of the University Administration Committee on Foreign Students.

On July 4 he was presented a wristwatch by Oakland Mayor Clifford Rishell for "outstanding contributions toward international friendship and understanding."

Asked about his stay here, Sudarmo says, "I like Americans as individuals, their frankness and informality. They have the capacity and inherent willingness to understand others."

## Inner Workings Of Phone Center Shown Officials

"More than 20 Walnut Creek businessmen and city officials attended the telephone company's July 20 preview night held in the new central office building, 1755 Locust Street.

"The transistor is one of the most revolutionary electrical developments ever to come out of the Bell Telephone laboratories," said H. C. Greenhalgh, manager for the company.

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## Under The Sun

By Herman Silverman

## Highways and the truck route crisis

Just returned from a week in the Sierras to find a most interesting letter in the In-box. It's from F. S. "Bob" Clough, who with Susan and the four kids, moved from Orinda to Alamo a few years ago. Commuter Bob is assistant managing director of the California Retailers Association.

The information is of such importance that it is reprinted in full. Bob writes:

"When I recalled that several years ago we attempted to prevail upon the major trucking firms using the tunnel road to restrict such use during peak traffic hours, I found myself reading with interest the enclosed publication of the California Manufacturers Association.

"It would seem to me that The SUN could perform a useful public service and create a great deal of interest if a similar count were made on the highway during peak hours."

"The subject would be timely in view of the fact that the Truckers Association is holding a series of meetings in an effort to improve public relations in view of the growing sentiment that the trucks are rapidly taking over the highways."

The California Manufacturers Association's circular, entitled "Freeway and Truck Route Crisis," follows:

## Anti-truck sentiment increases

"You are all aware of the anti-truck sentiment that has been developed the past few months. The proportions that this sentiment has reached, calls for concerted action by all shippers and fleet operators."

"If the present trend of sentiment continues the consequences can be most serious both to proprietary operators and shippers who use for-hire trucks. The thing we are all interested in is cost."

"The Association in cooperation with other interested shipping and carrier interests is calling upon top management for a concerted effort to correct a critical problem. There are a number of items which must be corrected."

"The first and most important of all, is the use of the freeways by trucks during peak traffic hours. During this past week a truck (1 1/2 tons and over) traffic count was made on the Hollywood Freeway at Rampart near downtown Los Angeles. This count showed as follows:

	Northbound	Southbound
6-7 A.M.	193	179
7-8	284	148
8-9	278	205
9-10	262	210
4-5 P.M.	124	284
5-6	90	206
6-7	69	127

## Indiscriminate truck traffic

"This count clearly indicates that there is altogether too much indiscriminate use by motor trucks of the freeways during peak traffic hours. This major problem can be greatly relieved by dispatching your trucks at such time as to avoid competing for freeway space with non-commercial traffic during rush hours."

"Several parties in attendance at the meeting at which this problem was discussed stated that they had revamped their dispatching schedule and found that such a scheduling program saved both time and money. This particular item can be handled by proper scheduling by your dispatcher."

"What happens once the truck leaves your premises is up to your driver. An excellent suggestion is in the process of being put into effect by Arrowhead and Puritas Waters. They are preparing a manual to cover the operation of their trucks and trailers. The six items in driver education are as follows:

## Timing, smoke and noise

"1. Timing of deliveries. In the revision of our transport schedules, every effort is being made to keep trucks off the city streets, freeways and congested highways during peak hours of use."

"2. SMOKE. Operators of diesel equipment are being told that the company will maintain diesel equipment so that it should not smoke and that it will be their responsibility to so drive the equipment on the streets and highways that the equipment will not give forth excessive smoke."

"3. EXHAUST NOISE. Attention is called to the fact that incorrect driving methods will result in heavy equipment giving forth an objectionable noise and that particular care should be taken to avoid excessive noise of this type while passing schools, hospitals, and residential districts."

## Horns, speed, proper lanes

"4. HORNS. Horns should be used to caution people and not in an attempt to clear the highway. Air horns should be used only in times of emergency."

"5. SPEED. Absolute compliance with speed regulations of City, County and State are required. The operators are cautioned to reduce the speed of their vehicle below the limits wherever conditions require a reduction."

"6. CHANGING LANES AND USE OF THE PROPER LANE. All trucks are to be kept in the right hand lanes except when passing. Changing lanes is to be performed with the greatest attention to safety and courtesy."

"We feel certain that if all shippers give special attention to this problem that a solution may be reached on a voluntary basis. In the event that full cooperation is not forthcoming, highly restrictive and unfavorable legislation will be the result and certainly tend to strangle the free flow of manufactured products to and from market."

## You can say that again!

Everyone who drives our highways will readily add, "Boy, ain't that the truth." That writer must have been driving our Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Contra Costa Highway or the Danville Highway.

The SUN has forwarded this information to Chairman Charles Nelson of the Diablo Highway Improvement Association. President John McKirahan of the County Commuters Association, Joe Judson of the County Development Association, Ed Larmer, president of the new County Chambers of Commerce Presidents and Managers Association and also a member of the highway committee of the California State Chamber, — and probably most important, to Joe Nevis, owner of the big Nevis trucking line and head of the County Truckers Association.

The SUN will welcome the opportunity to cooperate with these and community improvement associations to help solve the trucking problem.

## County Fair Has Something for All

The Contra Costa County Fair, which opened its doors yesterday, will continue to display fascinating agricultural, industrial exhibits and just plain fun to visitors through Sunday.

The fair, which is holding forth at Antioch, is expecting thousands of visitors to click the turnstiles. YESTERDAY was "Kids Day" with the emphasis on contests and entertainment for youth, and children up to 14 years of age were admitted free.

The usual charge is \$1 for adults and 50 cents for children between 6 and 14 years.

The entrance price, however, entitles the visitor to partake of all exhibits and entertainment, including the rodeos and horse shows, the livestock judging and the "greased pig" races. There is, however, extra charge for amusement on the "midway" rides and carnival shows.

VISITORS WHO MIGHT wish to enter and leave many times can take advantage of a new offer this year, the purchase of a \$4 "season ticket" which permits entry as many times as an individual wishes. Special attention was given to

## American Economy Subject of Talk

The American economy has a built-in "bounce" that should insure speedy recovery from temporary dips in activity and guarantees future growth, H. J. Dollinger of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States said here recently.

He spoke to the Walnut Creek Kiwanis Club and the Walnut Creek Area Chamber of Commerce directors. Dollinger is manager of the Intermountain District of the U.S. Chamber with headquarters at Salt Lake City.

... with the RESERVES

Col. William T. Carpenter, Commanding Officer, Parks Air Force Base, informed the local Air Reserve Squadron in Walnut Creek of the functions of the many USAF Commands.

Col. Carpenter also explained in detail the many functions and commands which goes to make up his own base near Pleasanton, and the cost of the operation.

Lt. Col Robert Kahn, of the local Squadron, presented information on the Air-Ground Warning Post in Lafayette. Col. Kahn also requested volunteers to man the posts both in Lafayette and Danville.

A number of applications were given out and returned, and anyone wishing to volunteer may do so at the next meeting.

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